

*K. Ephemerides*  
**DIARIA BRITANNICA;**  
OR, THE  
**BRITISH DIARY:**  
AN  
**ALMANACK,**  
FOR THE  
Year of OUR LORD 1791.

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ARTS and SCIENCES:  
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the CURIOUS.

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When merit rules, and interest  
Justice shall be the object of our  
And works of merit shall the laurels*

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# 2 BRITISH DIARY.

## Chronological Notes for the Year 1791.

The Julian period	- - 6504	Septuagesima Sunday	Feb. 20
Roman Indiction	- - 9	Shrove Sunday	Mar. 6
Golden number	- - 6	Easter Day	April 24
Cycle of the sun	- - 8	Whit Sunday	June 12
Dominical letter	- B	Trinity Sunday	June 19
Epaet	- - 25	Advent Sunday	Nov. 27
Number of Direction	- 34	Years of the Millennium	140

## Astronomical CHARACTERS used in this DIARY.

♈ Aries	♎ Libra	H Sidus	☉ Sun	♊ Conjunction
♉ Taurus	♏ Scorpio	♄ Saturn	☾ Moon	* Sextile
♊ Gemini	♐ Sagitary	♃ Jupiter	♊ N. Node	☐ Quartile
♋ Cancer	♑ Capricorn	♂ Mars	♋ S. Node	△ Trine
♌ Leo	♒ Aquarus	♀ Venus	♁ Earth	♌ Opposition,
♍ Virgo	♓ Pilces	☿ Mercury	♊ Past-for.	or 6 signs

## Of the Four Quarters of the Year.

Spring Quarter begins	March 20, at 34 m. past 3 afternoon
Summer Quarter begins	June 21, at 37 m. past 1 afternoon
Autumn Quarter begins	Sept. 23, at 15 m. past 3 morning
Winter Quarter begins	Dec. 21, at 46 m. past 7 night

VENUS will be an evening Star till the 19th day of October, at which time she becomes a morning star to the end of the year.

JUPITER is a morning star till the 17th Day of March, then an evening star till the 4th day of October, at which time he becomes a morning star to the end of the Year.

## Obliquity of the Ecliptic.

January 1.	23° 27' 50" 2
April 1.	- 23 27 49 8
July 1.	- 23 27 49 4
October 1.	23 27 49 0
December 31.	23 27 48 7

## Equal. of Equinoctial Points.

+	8" 3
+	6 9
+	5 5
+	4 1
+	2 5

## ECLIPSES for the Year 1791.

IN the course of this year, there will be four eclipses of the two luminaries, viz. two of the sun, and two of the moon, according to the following calculations, by Mr. George Dixon, of Gosport, Hants, Teacher of Astronomy and Navigation.

Two partial eclipses will this year,  
Unto the British isles appear,  
The sun, yond glorious lamp of day,  
Will be depriv'd of light I say;  
Everite the earth will be.

The moon likewise, will undergo  
A deprivation, as below,  
The times apparent I have shewn  
For Greenwich; hence may find your own,  
And then observe how they agree,  
And send them to the *Diary*.

The first is a solar defect on Sunday the 3d day of April, visible, according to the following calculation.

	D.	h.	m.	f.	
Beginning April 3 at	0	20	13		P. M.
Middle - - -	-	1	49	26	
End - - -	-	3	12	25	
Total duration -	-	2	51	52	
Digits eclipsed -	-	7	$\frac{1}{3}$		on the sun's north limb.

The second is an invisible eclipse of the moon, on Monday the 18th day of April, the beginning afternoon at 3h. 15m. middle at 4h. 42m. the end at 6h. 9m. duration 2h. 54m. digits eclipsed 9<sup>a</sup> on the moon's south limb.

The third is an invisible eclipse of the sun, on Tuesday the 27th day of September, the 6 at 11h. 43m. in  $\Delta$  4° 46' D lat. 44° 40' S. the sun will be centrally eclipsed on the meridian at 12h. 16m. in longitude 176° 8' east, and latitude 54° south.

The fourth and last is a visible eclipse of the moon, on Tuesday October 12.

	D.	h.	m.	f.	
Beginning October 11 at	12	5	39		P. M.
Middle - - -	-	13	38	44	
End - - -	-	15	11	49	
Duration - - -	-	3	6	10	
Digits eclipsed -	-	9	3		on the moon's north limb.

Mancunientis also sent calculations of all the eclipses, with types for the two visible eclipses for Greenwich, as follow:

	D.	h.	m.	f.	
The sun's ed. begins, Ap. 3	0	17	4		P. M.
Middle - - -	-	1	46	5	
End - - -	-	3	9	21	
Duration - - -	-	2	52	17	
Digits eclipsed -	-	7	17		on the ☉'s north limb.



The D makes the first impression on the solar disc, about 96° from the ☉'s vertex on the right hand.

	D.	h.	m.	f.	
The moon's ed. Begins - Oct. 11	11	11	59	56	
Middle morning -	-	1	35	37	
End - - -	-	3	11	18	
Duration - - -	-	3	11	22	
Digits - - -	-	9	17		on the ☾'s north limb.



Mr. Jonathan Hornby sent the times of the visible eclipses, for Westerdale, as did Mr. William Swift, for Stow.

*A TABLE of the MOON's southing, or Times when she passes the Merid of Greenwich Observatory, for the Year 1791.*

M	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
D	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.
1	8 49	10 22	9 10	10 29	10 46	11 44	11 59	1 7	2 27	3 15	5 4	5 2
2	9 48	11 16	10 2	11 13	11 29	0 32	0 48	1 53	3 20	4 13	5 56	6 1
3	10 47	0 7	10 51	11 58	0 15	1 20	1 36	2 44	4 15	5 11	6 57	7 1
4	11 46	0 56	11 39	0 24	1 12	2 8	2 23	3 33	5 11	6 9	7 40	8 1
5	0 43	1 43	0 24	1 27	1 48	2 56	3 11	4 26	6 8	7 5	8 27	9 1
6	1 36	2 28	1 9	2 12	2 36	3 44	3 55	5 17	7 6	8 58	9 1	9 1
7	2 26	3 12	1 54	2 55	3 24	4 31	4 47	6 12	8 4	9 49	10 5	10 1
8	3 13	3 56	2 38	3 46	4 12	5 18	5 36	7 9	9 38	10 42	11 4	11 1
9	3 58	4 40	3 23	4 34	5 6	6 6	6 28	8 9	10 54	12 6	11 27	11 3
10	4 47	5 25	4 9	5 23	5 48	6 56	7 22	9 7	10 45	11 12	morn	morn
11	5 25	6 11	4 56	6 12	6 37	7 48	8 10	10 5	11 34	11 58	0 13	0 2
12	6 8	6 50	5 44	7 1	7 26	8 42	9 18	11 1	morn	morn	0 50	1 1
13	6 52	7 45	6 33	7 51	8 16	9 39	10 18	11 55	0 22	0 43	1 46	1 5
14	7 37	8 38	7 23	8 42	9 8	10 39	11 19	morn	1 9	1 29	2 34	2 4
15	8 24	9 29	8 13	9 33	10 3	11 40	morn	0 46	1 55	2 16	3 21	3 28
16	9 12	10 20	9 4	10 21	11 1	morn	0 18	1 35	2 41	3 24	4 4	4 15
17	10 2	11 12	9 56	11 21	morn	0 42	1 14	2 22	3 27	4 50	5 4	5 17
18	0 52	morn	10 48	morn	0 11	4 22	6 3	8 4	13 4	38 5	4 5	4 18
19	1 43	0 4	11 41	0 18	1 32	39 2	56 3	54 5	5 5	25 6	27 5	3 3
20	morn	0 55	morn	1 18	2 53	32 3	43 4	39 5	48 6	13 7	14 7	22
21	0 34	1 47	0 35	2 19	3 54	22 4	28 5	25 6	36 7	0 8	2 8	14
22	1 24	2 43	1 30	3 26	4 5	25 9	13 6	12 7	25 7	48 8	5 9	10
23	2 14	3 34	2 24	4 19	5 55	54 5	57 6	59 8	14 8	38 9	46 10	9
24	3 4	3 3	3 26	5 16	6 45	38 6	42 7	47 9	39 27	10 42	11 11	11
25	3 55	2 7	4 25	6 10	7 32	21 7	28 8	36 9	52 10	18 11	42 12	12
26	4 46	2 4	5 23	7 7	8 18	5 8	14 9	25 10	42 11	11 0	45 1	14
27	5 39	2 16	6 20	8 48	9 28	50 9	1 10	15 11	33 0	7 1	45 2	16
28	6 34	1 16	7 14	8 34	9 45	36 9	5 11	4 0	26 1	5 2	46 3	18
29	7 31	0 8	8 6	9 18	10 29	23 10	40 11	53 1	20 2	5 3	45 3	20
30	8 28	0 8	8 56	10 2	10 13	11 11	11 29	0 44	2 16	3 6	40 4	22
31	0 2	0 43	10 43	10 58	0 18	1 35	1 35	4 6	5 3	5 3	47 5	24

*A TABLE of the Seven Stars southing, or Times when they pass the Meridian.*

	A.	A.	A.	A.	M.	M.	M.	M.	M.	A.
1	8 46	5 34	4 52	5 2	1 10	59 8	55 6	50 4	54 3	6 1
7	8 20	5 9	4 23	5 30	0 38	10 34	30 6	27 4	33 2	44 0
13	7 54	5 46	4 12	5 8	0 15	10 9	5 6	4 4	11 2	22 0
19	7 28	5 23	3 39	4 46	11 51	9 44	7 41	5 42	3 50	0 11
25	7 31	5 17	3 17	4 23	11 27	9 19	7 17	5 19	3 28	1 38

*Use of the Tables. To find the Time of High Water.*

EXAM. On Jan. 1st Moon souths at - 8 49 p.m.

Add for N. and F. Moon for London - 2 30

Time of High Water at London, Jan. 1 11 19 m.

Ex. 1.) On Jan. 1, Seven Stars souths at 8 46 a.

Semidiurnal arc. subtract and add - 8 17

Seven Stars rises Jan. 1st Aft. - 0 29 a.

Seven Stars sets next morning Jan. 2, - 5 3 m.

Ex. 2.) Seven Stars souths Jan. 1st at - 8 46 a.

Sirius souths after the Seven Stars - 3 1

Sirius south Jan. 1st afternoon - 11 47 a.

Semidiurnal arc subtract and add - 4 37

Sirius rises Jan. 1st afternoon - 7 10 a.

Sirius sets Jan. 2d morning - 4 24 m.

*Na. of Stars. f. a. 7\* f. d. a.*

Aldebaran	0	40	7	29
Capella	1	26	—	—
Betelgeuse	2	8	6	41
Sirius	3	1	4	37
Alphord	5	42	5	24
Regulus	6	21	7	11
Upp. point.	7	15	—	—
Virg. spike	9	39	5	12
Arcturus	10	29	7	55
Antarus	12	41	3	34
Lyra	14	52	—	—
Atair	16	5	6	46
Fomalhaut	19	8	1	55
Pole star	21	13	—	—
Almach	22	16	—	—



# JANUARY hath XXXI Days.

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	D	H lat. north	h lat. south	u lat. north	δ lat. south	♀ lat. south	♂ lat. south
new moon 4 day, 5 night	1	0	41	2	22	1	19
1st Quart. 12 day, 6 mor.	7	0	41	2	21	1	21
full moon 20 day, 6 morn.	13	0	42	2	20	1	22
2nd Quart. 27 day, 7 mor.	19	0	42	2	19	1	24
	25	0	42	2	18	1	26

	W	Festival Days.	Aspects & Weat.	D riles	☉ ♈	H ♈	h ♈	u ♈	δ ♈	♀ ♈	♂ ♈	D m	D lat. north
1	S	Circumcif.	♂ ☉ ♀	4	9	11	8	13	0	1	26	11	22
2	B	2 S. af. Chr.	Dark air	5	23	12	9	13	0	1	27	12	23
3	M		wi. snow	6	27	13	11	13	0	1	27	14	25
4	T		♂ ☽ ♀	D	fets	14	12	13	0	1	28	15	27
5	W	Old Chr. d.	♂ ♂ ♀	5	25	15	13	13	0	1	29	16	28
6	T	Epiphany	* ♀ ♂	6	37	16	14	13	0	1	29	17	29
7	F		Δ ♀ ♂	7	43	17	15	13	0	1	29	18	30
8	S	Lucian	Δ ♀ ♂	8	56	18	17	13	0	2	1	20	3
9	B	1 S. af. Epi.	♂ ☽ ♀	10	2	19	18	13	0	2	2	21	5
10	M	Plow Mon.	or rain,	11	7	20	19	13	1	2	3	22	6
11	T		wi. brisk	Morn	21	20	13	1	2	4	24	8	13
12	W		gales of	0	10	22	21	13	1	2	4	25	9
13	T	Hil. C. T. b.	wind.	1	11	23	22	13	1	2	5	26	11
14	F	Ox. T. beg.	♂ H ♀	2	12	24	23	13	1	2	6	27	12
15	S		More	3	10	25	24	13	1	2	7	29	13
16	B	2 S. af. Epi.	* ♀ ♀	4	7	26	26	13	1	R	8	30	15
17	M		Δ ♀ ♀	4	59	27	27	13	1	2	8	1	16
18	T	Qu. birth d.	Prisca	5	47	28	28	13	1	2	9	2	17
19	W		'mild.	6	28	29	29	13	1	2	10	4	18
20	T	Fabian. Ire.	♂ ☽ H	D	rif.	30	30	13	1	2	11	5	19
21	F	Agnes	Turbul.	6	27	1	31	13	1	2	12	6	20
22	S	Vincent	♂ h ♀	7	39	2	32	13	1	2	12	7	20
23	B	3 S. af. Epi.	with	8	53	3	33	13	2	2	13	9	21
24	M	Hil. T. beg.	♂ ☽ ♀	10	8	4	34	13	2	1	14	10	21
25	T	Con. St. Pa.	ain,	11	22	5	35	13	2	1	15	11	22
26	W		♂ H ♀	Morn	6	36	12	2	1	15	12	21	26
27	T	Pr. Au. F. b.	or snow	0	37	7	37	12	2	1	16	14	21
28	F	1773. 2 ret.	to the	1	51	8	37	12	2	1	17	15	20
29	S		end.	3	1	9	38	12	2	1	18	16	20
30	B	4 S. af. Epi	♂ ♂ ♀	4	5	10	39	12	2	1	19	17	10
31	M	K. Ch. I. M	♂ ♀ ♀	5	2	11	40	12	2	1	10	18	6

	D. L	Sun beg.	Sun rite	Sun fet.	D. L	leng. ends	Day of D.	Clock inc.	h be.	☉ night	h night	u night	δ night	♀ night	♂ night	8
1	5	56	8	2	35	8	47	56	0	6	4	8	11	8	11	6
2	5	54	7	5	4	2	6	63	4	0	14	6	51	10	46	10
3	5	52	7	5	4	8	6	10	3	16	0	26	9	16	10	21
4	5	42	7	4	4	16	6	16	3	32	0	42	11	17	0	58
5	5	37	7	3	5	4	25	6	23	3	50	1	0	12	50	0

	D	H lat. north	h lat. south	u lat. north	♂ lat. south	♀ lat. south	♂ lat. north
New moon 3 day, 6 morn.							
First Quar. 11 day, 4 morn.	10	42	2 16	1 28	1 51	24	3
Full moon 18 day, 8 night	70	42	2 16	1 29	1 41	27	3
Last Quart. 25 day, 3 after.	130	42	2 15	1 30	1 31	28	2
	190	42	2 14	1 31	1 11	26	1
	250	42	2 13	1 32	1 01	22	0

M	W	Festival Days.	Aspects & Weat.	D rises	☉ ==	H Ω	u Υ	♂ Δ	♀ ≡	♂ ≡	♀ ≡	D W	D lat north
1	T		♂ ♂ ♀	5 50	12 41	12	2	1 20	20	17	20	40	5
2	W	Pur. or C. d.	♂ D ♀	6 30	13 42	12	2	1 21	21	10	4	28	4
3	T	Bp. Blaife	♂ ☉ ♀	D sets	14 43	12	3	1 22	22	15	18	0	4
4	F	(3 ret.	♂ ♂ ♀	6a28	15 44	12	3	1 23	24	14	1	15	4
5	S	Agatha.	♂ H ♀	7 37	16 44	12	3	1 23	25	12	14	11	3
6	B	S. aft Epi.	♂ D h	8 43	17 45	12	3	1 24	26	11	26	46	2
7	M		Wind	9 48	18 46	12	3	1 25	27	10	9	Υ	4
8	T		with	10 51	19 47	12	3	1 26	29	9	21	8	0
9	W	4 return	rain or	11 53	20 47	12	3	1 27	30	8	3	8	2
10	T	Dies Sco. O.	fnow.	Morn	21 48	12	3	1 27	1	8	14	50	1
11	F			0 52	22 49	12	3	0 28	2	7	26	39	2
12	S	Hil. T. ends		1 49	23 49	12	3	0 29	4	6	8	Π	32
13	B	S. af. Epi.	O. C. d.	2 44	24 50	12	4	0 30	5	6	20	39	4
14	M	Valentine		3 33	25 50	12	4	0 1	6	3	35	0	4
15	T		Season-	4 19	26 51	12	4	0 1	7	D	15	40	5
16	W		♂ D H	4 58	27 51	12	4	0 2	9	6	28	42	5
17	T		blewith	5 33	28 52	12	4	0 3	10	6	12	Ω	4
18	F		showers	D ril.	29 52	11	4	0 4	11	6	25	47	4
19	S			6a34	30 52	11	4	0 4	12	6	9	Υ	40
20	B	Septua. Su.	♂ D u	7 50	1 53	11	4	0 5	14	7	23	57	2
21	M			9 7	2 53	11	4	0 6	15	7	8	15	1
22	T		Cold	10 24	3 53	11	5	0 7	16	8	22	36	0
23	W	P. Octa. b.	winds.	11 41	4 54	11	5	0 29	8	17	9	6	55
24	T	St. Matt.	P.A.F.b	Morn	5 54	11	5	0 29	8	10	9	21	10
25	F			0 52	6 54	11	5	0 29	9	20	10	5	18
26	S		♂ H ♀	1 53	7 54	11	5	0 29	10	21	11	19	19
27	B	Sexages. S.		2 57	8 55	11	5	0 29	11	22	12	3	11
28	M	Hare-hunt- [ing ends.		3 48	9 55	11	5	0 29	12	24	13	16	54

D	D. L beg.	Sun rise	Sun set.	D. L. ends	long. of D.	Day inc.	Clock be. ☉	h let night	u rin. night	♂ tets night	♀ tets night	Ω Δ
1	5 29	7 24	136	6 31	9 12	1 22	14 4	9 11	8 53	5 14	5 12	253
7	5 20	7 14	146	6 40	9 32	1 42	14 35	8 49	8 27	5 18	5 29	251
13	5 10	7 3	157	6 50	9 54	2 4	14 37	8 29	8 1	5 22	5 50	250
19	5 0	6 52	5 8	7 0	10 16	2 26	14 11	8 10	7 35	5 25	6 10	244
25	4 43	6 40	5 20	7 12	10 40	3 50	13 22	7 52	7 3	5 20	6 30	240

	D	H lat. north	h lat. louth	u lat. north	δ lat. louth	♀ at. louth	♂ lat. louth
New moon 4 day, 8 night							
First Quart. 12 day, midni.	1	0 42	2 13	1 33	0 58	1 18	0 23
Full moon 20 day, 7 morn.	7	0 42	2 13	1 34	0 56	1 10	1 15
Last Quart. 26 day, 11 night	13	0 42	2 13	1 34	0 54	1 01	1 52
	19	0 41	2 12	1 35	0 52	0 48	2 14
	25	0 41	2 12	1 35	0 40	0 35	2 20

Dlat north	M D	W D	Festival Days.	Aspects & Weat.	D riles.	☉ X	H Ω	h Υ	u ♊	δ ♋	♀ ♌	♂ ♍	D ♎	Dlat north
5	1	T	St. David	Varia-	4 29	10 55	11	5 29	12 25	14 0	26	5 1		
4 5	2	W	Chad	♂ D ♀	5 6	11 55	11	5 29	13 26	15 13	46	4 40		
4 3	3	T	Collop Th.	♂ u ♀	5 36	12 55	11	6 28	14 27	16 26	54	4 11		
4	4	F		♂ D ♂	D sets	13 55	11	6 28	15 29	17 9	47	3 30		
1 3	5	S		♂ D ♀	6a30	14 55	11	6 28	15 29	18 22	26	2 36		
6	6	B	Quinquag.	♂ D h	7 35	15 55	11	6 28	16 1	19 4	50	1 38		
4 1	7	M	Perpetua	♂ ☉ ♂	8 40	16 55	11	6 28	17 2	21 17	1	0 21		
8 0	8	T	Shrove Tu.	eble.	9 42	17 55	11	6 28	18 4	22 29	1	0 38		
2 of	9	W	Ash Wedn.	Cold	10 43	18 55	11	6 28	19 5	23 10	8 54	1 41		
1 3	10	T	C. C. B. A.	♂ h ♀	11 42	19 55	11	6 28	19 1	24 22	42	2 40		
2 4	11	F		rain.	Morn	20 55	11	7 27	20 7	26 4	30	3 32		
2 3	12	S	Gregory M.		0 37	21 54	11	7 27	21 9	27 16	24	4 15		
9 4	13	B	1 S. in Lent		1 30	22 54	11	7 27	22 10	28 28	29	4 48		
4 4	14	M		Δ H ♀	2 15	23 54	11	7 27	23 11	29 10	48	5 8		
5	15	T		Warm-	2 57	24 53	11	7 27	23 12	30 23	28	5 14		
5	16	W	Ember We.	♂ D H	3 34	25 53	11	7 27	24 14	3 6	Ω 30	5 4		
4 5	17	T	St. Patrick	♂ ☉ u	4 7	26 53	11	7 27	25 15	4 19	57	4 38		
7 4	18	F	Ed. K. W. S.	♂ u ♂	4 39	27 52	11	7 27	26 16	5 3	37 49	3 55		
3 3	19	S		er, and	5 0	28 52	10	8 26	26 17	7 18	3	2 50		
7 2	20	B	2 S. in Lent	perhaps	D rif.	29 51	10	8 26	27 18	9 2	Δ 34	1 45		
5 1	21	M	St. Bened.	thunder	8a10	Υ 51	10	8 26	28 20	10 17	18	0 25		
0	22	T			9 29	1 50	10	8 26	29 21	12 2	27 5	0 50		
5 Int	23	W			10 47	2 49	10	8 26	Υ 23	14 16	50	2 14		
2 2	24	T			11 57	3 4	10	8 26	0 23	15 1	26	3 22		
3 2	25	F	An. Lad. d.		Morn	4 4	10	8 26	1 25	17 15	49	4 16		
4 1	26	S			1 0	5 47	10	8 26	2 26	19 29	57	4 54		
4 5	27	B	3 S. in Lent	High	1 53	6 47	10	9 25	3 27	20 18	45	5 13		
5	28	M		♂ u ♀	2 37	7 4	10	9 25	3 28	22 18	5	5 15		
	29	T		♂ ☉ h	3 22	8 45	10	9 25	4 8	24 10	34	5 0		
	30	W		Δ ☉ H	3 47	9 44	10	9 25	5 1	26 23	33	4 30		
	31	T		winds.	4 15	10 43	10	9 25	6 2	27 6	10	3 47		

D	D. L. beg.	Sun rise	Sun set.	D. L. ends	leng. of D.	Day inc.	Clock be. ☉	h ter night	u rif. night	δ rif. morn	♀ set. night	♂
1	4 41	6 33	5 27	7 19	10 54	3 4	12 36	7 37	6 53	6 43	6 42	24 0
7	4 29	6 21	5 39	7 31	11 16	3 28	11 17	7 20	6 27	6 28	7 2	23 50
13	4 16	6 9	5 51	7 44	11 42	3 52	9 41	7 2	6 0	5 13	7 22	23 38
19	4 3	5 57	6 3	7 57	12 0	4 16	7 56	6 44	5 33	5 59	7 43	23 26
25	3 40	5 45	6 15	8 11	12 30	4 40	6 4	6 25	5 7	5 45	8 3	23 14

	D	H lat. north	h lat. south	u lat. north	♂ lat. south	♀ lat. south	♂ lat. south
New moon 3 day, 1 after.							
First Quart. 11 day, 3 after.	10	41	2 13	1 34	0 46	0 18	2 5
Full moon 18 day, 5 after.	7	0 41	2 13	1 34	0 43	0 21	1 33
Last Quart. 25 day, 8 morn.	13	0 41	2 13	1 33	0 40	0 14	0 44
	19	0 41	2 13	1 32	0 37	0 31	0 18
	25	0 41	2 14	1 31	0 33	0 47	1 21

M	W	Festival Days.	Aspects & Weat	D rises.	☉ r	H Ω	h r	u r	♂ r	♀ r	♂ r	♀ r	D r	D lat. north
1	F	All Fool's	♂ D h	4 40	11 42	10	0 25	7 3	29 18	51	2 53			
2	S		♂ D h	5 6	12 42	10	9 25	7 4	1 11	1 52				
3	B	Mid. Sund.	Richard	D sets	13 41	10	9 25	8 1	3 13	21	0 47			
4	M	St. Ambros	♂ D ♀	7 40	14 40	10	10 24	0 7	5 25	23	of 10			
5	T	O. Lady d.	♂ h ♂	8 41	15 39	10	10 24	10 8	7 7	17	1 25			
6	W		♂ h ♂	9 40	16 37	10	10 24	10 9	9 19	7	2 26			
7	T	Ca. lat. act	♂ ♂ h	10 37	17 36	10	10 24	11 11	11 11	55	3 21			
8	F		Wind,	11 30	18 35	10	10 24	12 12	13 12	44	4 7			
9	S		rain,	Morn	19 34	10	10 24	13 13	15 24	39	4 43			
10	B	5 S. in Lent	and	0 18	20 33	10	10 24	14 14	17 6	42	5 7			
11	M		thunder	1 1	21 32	10	10 24	15 15	19 19	0	5 13			
12	T		♂ D H	1 30	22 30	10	11 24	16 17	21 1	35	5 13			
13	W		♂ ☉ ♀	2 13	23 29	10	11 23	16 18	23 14	32	4 53			
14	T		Pleasant	2 44	24 28	10	11 23	16 19	25 27	54	4 17			
15	F	Ca. T. ends	♂ D u	3 14	25 26	10	11 23	17 20	27 11	43	3 25			
16	S	Ox. T. ends	thowers	3 42	26 25	10	11 23	18 22	29 25	58	2 10			
17	B	6 S. L. P. Su.	Δ u ♀	4 10	27 23	10	11 23	19 23	31 10	37	1 2			
18	M		of rain.	D rif.	28 22	D	11 23	20 24	33 25	33	on 25			
19	T	Alphage		8 30	29 20	10	11 23	20 25	35 10	30	1 42			
20	W		Windy	9 47	30 19	10	12 23	21 26	37 25	46	2 57			
21	T	Maunday	☐ H ♀	10 56	1 17	10	12 23	22 28	39 10	45	3 59			
22	F	Good Frid.		11 54	2 16	10	12 23	23 29	41 25	28	4 44			
23	S	St. George	and	Morn	3 14	10	12 23	23 31	43 14	50	5 10			
24	B	Easter day		0 43	4 12	10	12 23	24 11	45 23	4	5 17			
25	M	St. Mark. P.	Mary b	1 24	5 11	10	12 22	25 3	47 18	21	5 6			
26	T	Easter Tue.	1776.	1 57	6 9	10	12 22	26 4	49 20	31	4 38			
27	W	after We.	Δ u ♀	2 25	7 7	10	12 22	27 5	51 3	20	3 58			
28	T		trou-	3 52	8 5	10	12 22	28 6	53 15	52	3 7			
29	F		bled air.	3 17	9 3	10	13 22	29 7	55 28	9	2 8			
30	S		☐ ☉ H	3 39	10 2	10	13 22	30 9	57 27	10	1 4			

D	D. L. beg.	Sun rise	Sun set.	D. L. ends	eng. of D.	Day inc.	Clock be. ☉	h ri. morn	u ri. night	♂ ri. morn	♀ ri. night	♂ ri. morn	♀ ri. night	♂ ri. morn
1	3 31	5 31	5 20	8 29	12 58	5 8	3 55	5 41	10 50	5 28	3 28	22 31		
7	3 15	5 10	6 41	8 45	13 22	5 32	2 8	5 20	10 34	5 14	3 50	22 12		
13	2 59	5 8	6 52	9 1	13 42	5 52	0 20	1 59	10 10	5 09	11 21	21 53		
19	2 43	4 57	7 3	9 17	14 6	6 11	1 16	1 37	9 41	1 45	9 32	21 33		
25	2 26	4 46	7 14	9 34	14 28	6 38	2 13	4 16	9 21	1 31	10 52	21 14		



☿ lat. outh	new moon 3 day, 5 morn.	D	H lat. north	h lat. outh	4 lat. north	♂ lat. outh	♀ lat. north	♂ lat. north
2 5	1st Quart. 11 day, 7 mor.	1	0 40	2 15	1 31	0 30	1 32	0 9
33		7	0 40	2 15	1 31	0 26	1 18	2 30
44	full moon 18 day, 1 morn.	13	0 40	2 16	1 28	0 23	1 31	2 18
n 18	last Quart. 24 day, 7 night	19	0 40	2 17	1 27	0 19	1 43	1 31
21		25	0 40	2 18	1 26	0 15	1 52	0 11

D lat. north	W	Festival Days.	Aspects & Weat.	D rites.	☉ 8	☿ Ω	♂ Υ	♀ ♊	♂ ♋	♀ ♌	D Υ	D lat. outh
2 53	1	B 1 S. af. East.	* H ♀	4 5	11 0	10 13	22 29	10 29	22 14	0 2		
1 52	2	M [St. P. & J.]	(♂ D ♂	4 28	11 53	10 13	22 8	11 11	4 8	7 1		
0 47	3	T In. of the C.	* h ♀	Diets	12 56	10 13	22 1	12 2	15 57	2 9		
of 40	4	W O. & C. T. b.	♂ D ♀	8 37	13 54	10 13	22 2	13 4	27 45	3 5		
1 25	5	T	♂ D ♀	9 31	14 52	10 13	22 2	15 5	9 35	3 53		
2 26	6	F John P. Lat	Cooling	10 21	15 50	10 13	22 3	16 6	21 27	4 32		
3 21	7	S	showers	11 5	16 48	10 14	22 4	17 8	3 25	4 58		
4 7	8	B 2 S. af. East.		11 43	17 46	10 14	22 5	18 9	15 32	5 12		
4 43	9	M	* H ♂	Morn	18 44	10 14	22 5	19 10	27 50	5 12		
5 7	10	T 1 return	♂ D H	0 10	19 42	10 14	22 6	21 11	10 24	4 57		
5 13	11	W East. T. be.	Pleasant	0 50	20 40	10 14	22 7	22 12	23 17	4 27		
5 13	12	T Old May d.	Δ ☉ ♀	1 10	21 38	10 14	22 8	23 13	1 31	3 42		
4 53	13	F	♂ D ♀	1 46	22 36	10 14	22 8	24 14	20 11	2 43		
4 17	14	S	weather	2 13	23 33	10 14	22 9	25 15	4 17	1 33		
3 25	15	B 3 S. af. East.	Some	2 41	24 31	10 14	22 10	27 16	18 40	0 15		
2 10	16	M 2 return	☐ H ♀	3 14	25 29	11 15	22 10	28 16	3 42	in 6		
1 2	17	T	showers	3 51	26 26	11 15	22 11	20 17	18 52	2 24		
on 25	18	W	and per-	D rit.	27 24	11 15	22 12	21 18	4 7	3 32		
1 42	19	T Q. Char. b.	aps	9 42	28 22	11 15	22 13	1 18	19 19	4 24		
2 57	20	F 1744.	thunder	10 37	29 19	11 15	22 13	3 18	4 17	4 57		
3 50	21	S		11 23	11 17	11 15	22 14	4 19	18 53	5 11		
4 44	22	B 4 S. af. East.	P. Eli. b.	Morn	1 15	11 15	22 15	5 19	3 3	5 4		
5 10	23	M 3 return	♂ D ♀	0 0	2 12	11 15	22 16	6 10	16 43	4 41		
5 17	24	T	bled air	0 30	3 10	11 15	22 16	7 8	29 50	4 3		
5 6	25	A	with	0 57	4 7	11 16	22 17	8 19	12 43	3 13		
4 38	26	T Augustine	cooling	1 22	5 5	11 16	22 18	10 19	25 10	2 16		
3 53	27	F Ven. Bede	♂ D h	1 46	6 2	11 16	22 18	11 19	7 21	1 14		
3 7	28	S	ain.	2 10	7 0	11 16	22 19	12 18	19 20	0 10		
2 8	29	B 5 S. a. E. K.	C. II. r.	2 35	7 58	11 16	22 20	13 18	1 8	0 54		
1 4	30	M 4 return	☐ h ♀	3 2	8 55	11 16	22 21	14 18	13 0	1 56		
	31	T	Δ ♀ ♂	3 32	0 53	11 16	22 21	16 17	24 48	2 52		

D	D. L.	Sun beg.	Sun rise	Sun set.	D. L.	eng. of D.	Day inc.	Clock aft. ☉	h m. morn	4 m. night	δ m. morn	♀ m. night	♂ m. night
231	1	2 3	434	7 26	9 57	14 52	7 2	3 8	3 54	8 58	4 16	10 12	20 55
212	7	1 41	424	7 36	10 19	15 12	7 22	3 43	3 33	8 34	4 1	10 28	20 36
1 53	8	1 14	415	7 45	10 46	15 30	7 40	3 50	3 11	8 10	3 46	10 41	20 17
1 33	9	0 39	4 6	7 54	11 21	15 48	7 58	3 54	2 40	7 46	3 31	10 50	19 58
1 14	6	all	3 58	8 2	Day	16 48	8 14	3 30	2 26	7 22	2 16	10 57	19 30

	D	1 <sup>st</sup> lat. north	2 <sup>d</sup> lat. louth	3 <sup>d</sup> lat. north	4 <sup>th</sup> lat. louth	5 <sup>th</sup> lat. north	6 <sup>th</sup> lat. louth	7 <sup>th</sup> lat. north	8 <sup>th</sup> lat. louth
New moon 1 day 9 night									
First Quart. 9 day, 5 after.	1	0 39	2 20	1 24	0 10	1 59	1 47		
Full moon 16 day, 8 mor.	7	0 39	2 21	1 22	0 7	2 33	2 23		
Last Quart. 23 day, 8 mor.	13	0 39	2 22	1 21	0 3	3 4	3 14		
	19	0 39	2 24	1 20	0 n	1 59	4 12		
	25	0 39	2 25	1 18	0 6	1 52	3 4		

M	W	Festival Days.	Aspects & Weat.	D sets.	☉ II	☿ Ω	♈ Υ	♉ ♊	♊ ♋	♋ ♌	♌ ♍	♍ ♎	♎ ♏	D II	D louth
1	W	Nicomede	* ☉ H	D sets	10 50	11 17	22 22	17 17	6 38	3 40					
2	T	Ascension	* ♀ ♀	8a17	11 47	11 17	22 23	18 16	18 32	4 19					
3	F	5 ret. C. ch.	Showers	9 0	12 45	11 17	22 24	19 16	0 31	4 47					
4	S	K. Geo. III.	♂ D ♀	9 44	13 42	11 17	22 24	20 15	12 38	5 3					
5	B	S. aft. asc.	♂ ☉ ♀	10 20	14 40	11 17	22 25	21 15	24 53	5 5					
6	M	E. T. end C.	♂ D H	10 52	15 37	11 17	22 26	23 14	7 19	4 5					
7	T	(T. d. m.)	* ☉ ♀	11 21	16 34	11 17	22 26	24 14	19 57	4 26					
8	W		id	11 47	17 32	11 17	22 27	25 13	2 51	3 43					
9	T	Oxf. T. ends	* D ♀	Morn	18 29	11 17	22 28	26 13	16 2	2 5					
10	F	Prs. Am. b.	windy.	0 13	19 26	11 17	22 29	27 12	29 35	1 47					
11	S	St. Barnab.	* ♀ ♀	0 40	20 24	11 17	22 29	28 12	13 30	0 33					
12	B	Whit Sund.	* ♂ ♀	1 10	21 21	11 17	23 11	11 27	48	on 4					
13	M	Whit Mon.		1 42	22 16	12 17	23 1	11 12	17 28	1 5					
14	T	Whit Tues.	Some	2 21	23 16	12 17	23 1	11 27	26	3 6					
15	W	Ember We.	Showers	3 8	24 13	12 17	23 2	11 12	4 33	4 2					
16	T			D rif.	25 10	12 17	23 3	10 27	42	4 4					
17	F	St. Alban	and	9a10	26 7	12 17	23 4	5 D	12 41	5 1					
18	S			9 50	27 5	12 17	23 4	7 10	27 22	5 0					
19	B	Trin. Sun.		10 27	28 2	12 17	23 5	8 11	11 27	4 4					
20	M	1 ret. Tr. E.	K. W. S.	10 56	28 59	12 18	23 6	9 11	25 23	4 5					
21	T	Longest d.	thunder	11 22	29 56	12 18	23 6	10 11	8 41	3 17					
22	W	Oxf. Term	begins	11 47	30 53	12 18	23 7	11 11	21 31	2 21					
23	T	[T. beg.	* ♀ ♀	Morn	1 51	12 18	24 8	12 12	3 59	1 19					
24	F	St. John B.	M Siday	0 10	2 43	12 18	24 8	13 12	16 9	0 15					
25	S	St. J. Col. el.		0 35	3 45	12 18	24 9	15 13	18 7	of 4					
26	B	1 S. aft Tri.	Cooling	1 0	4 42	12 18	24 10	16 14	9 57	1 40					
27	M	2 return	rain.	1 30	5 39	12 18	24 11	17 14	21 45	2 44					
28	T		Δ ♀ ♀	2 3	6 37	12 18	24 11	18 15	3 34	3 33					
29	W	St. Pe. & P.	♂ H ♀	2 41	7 34	12 18	24 12	19 16	15 28	4 12					
30	T	Buck-hunt.	* H ♂	3 25	8 31	12 18	24 13	20 17	27 28	4 41					
		[Dog d. b.													

D	D. L.	Sun beg.	Sun rise	Sun set.	D. L.	leng. of D.	Day inc.	Clock aft. ☉	♈ rit. morn	♉ let morn	♊ rit. morn	♋ ie night	♌
1		350	810			16 23	8 30	2 38	1 50	1 20	3 0	11 1	19 17
7		346	814			16 23	8 38	1 37	1 35	0 56	2 46	11 0	18 58
13	all	343	817	Day		16 34	8 44	0 27	1 11	0 32	2 32	10 54	18 30
19		341	810			16 36	8 48	0 49	0 47	0 7	2 18	10 46	18 20
25		342	818			16 3	8 2	2 6	0 23	1 14	2 5	10 36	18 1

8 lat. outh		D	H lat. north	h lat. louth	4 lat. north	8 lat. north	2 lat. north	8 lat. outh
	New moon 1 day, at noon							
	First Quart. 8 day, at midn.							
	Full moon 15 day, 3 aft.							
	Last Quart. 22 day, 11 nig.							
	New moon 31 day, 1 morn.							

Dat louth	M D	W D	Festival Days.	Aspects & Weat.	D fets.	☉ ☾	H ☿	♈ ♉	♊ ♋	♌ ♍	♎ ♏	♐ ♑	♒ ♓	D ☼	Dat louth
3 40	1	F	Visit V. M.	* ♀ ☿	D lets	9 28	12	18	24	13	21	18	9	37	4 57
4 10	2	S	S. aft. Tri.	Windy	8 a 17	10 26	12	18	24	14	22	19	21	50	5 0
4 47	3	M	return	with	8 50	11 23	13	18	25	15	24	20	4	25	4 48
5 3	4	M	Cam. Com.	St. Mic.	9 20	12 20	13	18	25	15	25	22	17	5	4 22
5 5	5	T		showers	9 47	13 17	13	18	25	16	26	23	29	56	3 43
4 56	6	W		☉ ☽ ♀	10 14	14 15	13	18	25	17	28	24	12	50	2 51
4 26	7	T	Th. a Beck.	☐ ♀ ☿	10 40	15 12	13	18	25	17	27	26	26	16	1 49
3 45	8	F	Cam. T. en.	* ♀ ☿	11 8	16 9	13	18	25	18	29	27	9	49	0 44
2 51	9	S		and	11 37	17 6	13	19	25	19	30	22	23	38	on 38
1 47	10	B	S. aft. Tri.	thunder	Morn	18 3	13	19	25	20	1	22	7	45	1 40
0 38	11	M	Oxford Act	* ♀ ☿	0 13	19 1	13	19	26	20	2	22	6	2	53
On 4	12	T	[4 ret.		0 54	19 5	13	19	26	21	4	4	6	47	3 58
1 57	13	W			1 43	20 55	13	19	26	22	5	21	35	4	31
3 0	14	T		Showers	2 41	21 52	13	19	26	22	6	8	6	26	4 5
4 2	15	F	Swithin	of rain.	D m.	22 49	13	19	26	23	7	9	21	11	5 0
4 44	16	S	Oxf. T. end		8 17	23 47	13	19	26	24	8	11	5	42	4 4
5 1	17	B	S. aft. Tr.	Hail	8 51	24 44	13	19	26	24	9	13	19	51	4 12
5 6	18	M		and	9 21	25 41	13	19	27	25	10	15	3	36	3 2
4 41	19	T		* ☉ ♀	9 50	26 38	13	19	27	26	11	17	16	53	2 2
4 5	20	W	Margaret	☐ ♀ ☿	10 10	27 36	14	19	27	26	12	19	29	4	1 2
3 17	21	T		☐ ♀ ☿	10 34	28 33	14	19	27	27	13	22	12	15	0 2
2 21	22	F	Magdalen	* ☽ ♀	11 1	29 30	14	19	27	28	14	24	24	27	of 4
1 19	23	S		* ♀ ☿	11 28	30 23	14	19	27	28	15	26	6	8	26
0 15	24	B	S. aft. Tr.	M. C. e.	Morn	1 25	14	19	28	29	16	28	18	17	1 4
of 4	25	M	St. James	thunder	0 1	2 22	14	19	28	29	17	30	0	11	7
1 40	26	T	St. Ann	gulty	0 36	3 20	14	19	28	30	18	2	11	58	4 1
2 44	27	W		☉ ☉ ☿	1 20	4 17	14	19	28	31	19	4	23	57	4 4
3 33	28	T			2 7	5 14	14	19	28	32	20	5	6	5	4 5
4 12	29	F		rain.	3 3	6 12	14	19	28	33	21	6	18	25	5
4 41	30	S		☉ ☽ ☿	4 1	7 9	14	19	29	34	22	7	20	57	4 5
	31	B	S. aft. Tr.	☉ ☽ H	D fets	8 7	14	19	29	35	23	8	21	43	4 2

82	D	D. L. beg.	Sun rise	Sun set.	D. L. ends	long. of D.	Day dec.	Clock be. ☉	h m night	4 let night	3 m. mor.	2 let night	82
19 17	1		3 43	8 17		16 34	0 4	3 20	11 50	11 10	1 55	10 25	174
18 58	7	all	3 47	8 13	Day	16 26	0 12	4 24	11 35	10 50	1 43	10 11	172
18 30	13		3 52	8 8		16 16	0 22	5 15	11 11	10 34	1 34	9 56	17
18 20	19		3 59	8 1		16 2	0 31	5 48	10 47	10 11	1 26	9 41	164
18 1	25	0 47	4 7	7 53	11 13	15 46	0 52	6 3	10 24	9 48	1 10	9 25	162

	D	H lat. north	h lat. outh	u lat. north	δ lat. north	♀ lat. louth	♄ lat. north
First Quar. 7 day, 5 morn.							
Full moon 13 day, midni.	1	0 39	2 35	1 11	0 31	0 20	1 46
Last Quart. 21 day, 5 after.	7	0 39	2 37	1 11	0 35	0 55	1 33
New moon 29 day, 1 after.	13	0 39	2 38	1 10	0 39	1 34	1 3
	19	0 39	2 40	1 9	0 43	2 10	0 21
	25	0 39	2 41	1 9	0 48	3 10	0 28

M	W	Festival Days.	Aspects & Weat.	D fets.	☉ Ω	H Ω	h Υ	u ♊	♂ ♊	♀ ♊	♄ ♊	D Ω	D lat. louth
1	M	Lammas	♂ H ♀	7a51	9 4	14	19	29	4 25	14	26	42	3 46
2	T		Brisk	8 18	10 2	14	19	29	5 26	16	9m52	2 54	
3	W		♂ D ♀	8 43	10 59	14	19	29	6 27	18	23 14	1 52	
4	T		gales or	9 12	11 57	14	19	29	6 28	20	6 46	0 42	
5	F		(♂ u ♀	9 41	12 54	15	19	29	7 29	22	20 29	on31	
6	S	Transfigur.	♂ ☉ H	10 15	13 52	15	19	29	8 30	24	4m22	1 43	
7	B	7 S. af. Tri.	N. J. efus	10 53	14 49	15	19	29	8 31	26	18 25	2 59	
8	M		wind &	11 38	15 47	15	19	29	9 32	28	2 38	3 47	
9	T		ernaps	Morn	16 44	15	19	29	10 33	30	16 58	4 31	
10	W	St. Lawren.	D. day e.	0 32	17 42	15	19	29	11 34	32	1 24	4 58	
11	T	Prs. Bru. b.	Δ ☉ h	1 34	18 40	15	19	29	12 35	34	15 49	5 5	
12	F	Pr. Wales b.	☉. Lan.	2 43	19 37	15	19	29	13 36	36	0 0	4 54	
13	S	[1762.	st under	D ril.	20 35	15	19	29	14 37	38	7 14 18	4 25	
14	B	8 S. af. Fri.		7a21	21 33	15	19	29	15 38	40	8 28 10	3 40	
15	M			7 48	22 30	15	19	29	16 39	42	10 11 42	2 44	
16	T	Du. York b.		8 14	23 28	15	19	29	17 40	44	12 24 52	1 40	
17	W		♂ D h	8 39	24 26	15	19	29	18 41	46	13 7 40	0 33	
18	T		* ♂ ♀	9 6	25 23	15	19	29	19 42	48	14 15 20	0 34	
19	F		Showers	9 34	26 21	15	19	29	20 43	50	15 16 21	1 39	
20	S		with	10 4	27 19	15	19	29	21 44	52	16 17 22	2 38	
21	B	9 S. af. Tri.	D. Cl. b.	10 39	28 17	16	19	29	22 45	54	17 18 23	3 29	
22	M		☐ h ♂	11 19	29 15	16	19	29	23 46	56	18 19 24	4 12	
23	T		* H ♀	Morn	30 13	16	18	29	24 47	58	19 20 25	4 43	
24	W	St. Barthol.	thunder	0 3	1 10	16	18	29	25 48	60	20 21 26	5 3	
25	T		♂ D ♂	0 55	2 8	16	18	29	26 49	62	21 22 27	5 10	
26	F		8 h ♀	1 52	3 6	16	18	29	27 50	64	22 23 28	5 2	
27	S		♂ D H	2 56	4 4	16	18	29	28 51	66	23 24 29	4 39	
28	B	10 S. af Tr.	St. Aug.	4 2	5 3	16	18	29	29 52	68	24 25 30	4 1	
29	M	St. John Ba.	ind hail	D fets	6 1	16	18	29	30 53	70	25 26 31	3 10	
30	T	[beh.		6a53	6 59	16	18	29	31 54	72	26 27 32	2 6	
31	W		♂ D ♀	7 23	7 57	16	18	29	32 55	74	27 28 33	0 55	

D. L.	Sun beg.	Sun rise	Sun set.	D. L.	long. of D.	Day dec.	Clock be. ☉	h ril night	u let nigh	δ ril morn	♀ let night	♄ let Ω
1	21	417	743	10 39	15 26	1 12	5 54	9 57	9 22	1 11	9 8	16 3
1	44	427	733	10 16	15 6	1 32	5 22	9 34	9 11	7 3	50	15 44
2	5	437	723	9 55	14 46	1 52	4 20	9 11	8 40	1 3	33	15 25
2	25	448	712	9 35	14 24	2 14	3 17	8 40	8 20	1 0	8 17	15 6
2	45	5 0	7 0	9 15	14 0	2 38	1 47	8 27	7 59	0 5	3 2	14 47



# SEPTEMBER hath XXX Days.

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	D	H lat. north	h lat. south	u lat. north	δ lat. north	♀ lat. south	♀ lat. south
First Quart. 5 day, 11 mor.	1	0 39	2 43	1 8	0 52	3 56	1 20
Full moon 12 day, 11 mor.	7	0 39	2 44	1 8	0 57	4 42	2 21
Last Quart. 20 day, 11 mo.	13	0 39	2 45	1 7	1 15	3 31	3 8
New moon 27 day, midni.	19	0 39	2 46	1 7	1 56	17 3	4 1
	25	0 39	2 47	1 7	1 10	6 58	3 45

M	W	Festival Days.	Aspects & Weat.	D fets.	☉	H	h	u	δ	♀	♀	D	Diat. north
D	D				☿	♈	♉	♊	♋	♌	♍		
1	T	Giles	♂ ♀	7 52	8 55	16 18	5 24	22 5	16 59	0 21			
2	F	Lond. burnt	(♂) ♀	8 25	9 53	16 18	5 25	23 6	1m 3	1 36			
3	S	{1666	Windy	9 1	10 51	16 18	5 26	24 7	15 11	2 46			
4	B	11 S. af. Tr.	at the	9 44	11 50	16 18	5 26	25 8	29 22	3 46			
5	M		begin-	10 34	12 48	16 18	6 27	25 9	13 34	4 33			
6	T		ning.	11 33	13 46	16 18	6 28	26 10	27 44	5 2			
7	W	Enurchus		Morn	14 44	17 18	6 28	27 11	11 51	5 13			
8	T	Na. B. V. M.		0 37	15 43	17 18	6 29	27 12	25 52	5 6			
9	F			1 48	16 41	17 18	6 29	28 13	9 45	4 40			
10	S			3 0	17 40	17 18	7 0	28 14	23 26	3 59			
11	B	12 S. af. Tri.	Showers	4 11	18 38	17 18	7 1	28 15	6 53	3 5			
12	M		and	D rif.	19 36	17 17	7 1	28 16	20 5	2 2			
13	T		* H	6a 49	20 35	17 17	7 2	28 17	3 0	0 54			
14	W	Holy Cross	♂ h	7 16	21 33	17 17	8 3	0 17	15 38	of 15			
15	T	Buck-hu. e.	(♂) D h	7 43	22 32	17 17	8 3	1 18	28 1	1 23			
16	F		windy.	8 13	23 30	17 17	8 4	1 19	10 10	2 25			
17	S	Lambert	Δ H h	8 46	24 29	17 17	8 4	2 20	12 10	3 20			
18	B	13 S. af. Tri.		9 23	25 28	17 17	8 5	2 20	4 3	4 6			
19	M			10 6	26 26	17 17	9 6	2 20	15 54	4 42			
20	T			10 54	27 25	17 17	9 6	3 20	27 48	5 5			
21	W	St. Matth.	Em. we.	11 45	28 24	17 17	9 7	3 20	22 2	5 12			
22	T	K. G. III. c.		Morn	29 23	17 17	9 7	3 20	22 2	5 12			
23	F	{1761	♂ D	0 48	21 17	17 17	9 8	4 20	4 31	4 54			
24	S		♂ D H	1 52	1 20	17 17	10 9	4 20	17 19	4 21			
25	B	14 S. af. Tr.	Brisk	3 2	2 19	17 17	10 9	4 20	0 20	3 34			
26	M	St. Cyprian	* u	4 10	3 18	17 16	10 10	4 19	14 1	2 33			
27	T		wind	D fets	4 17	16 16	10 11	4 18	27 53	1 22			
28	W	Sh. L. swor.	* H	6a 0	5 16	16 16	10 11	R 18	12 3	0 4			
29	T	St. Mi. Prs.	Ch. A. b.	6 31	6 15	16 16	11 12	4 17	26 27	1n 15			
30	F	St. Jerome	♂ h	7 9	7 14	16 16	11 12	4 16	10m 58	2 30			
		Hare-h. b.	with rain										

D	D. L	Sun	Sun	D. L.	leng.	Day	Clock	h ril.	u fets	δ ril.	♀ let	♀
	beg.	rife	fet.	ends	of D.	dec.	aft. ☉	night	night	morn	night	☿
1	3	5 13	6 47	8 55	13 34	3 4	0 15	8 0	7 36	0 56	7 34	14 23
2	3	20 52	6 36	8 40	13 12	3 26	2 11	7 39	7 16	0 54	7 15	14 3
3	3	35 53	6 25	8 25	12 50	3 48	4 15	7 17	6 57	0 53	6 54	13 46
4	3	49 54	6 13	8 11	12 26	4 12	6 22	6 55	6 37	0 52	6 32	13 27
5	4	3 55	6 1	7 57	12 21	4 36	8 26	6 33	6 18	0 52	6 7	13 8

	D	H lat. north	h lat. south	u lat. north	δ lat. north	♀ lat. south	♂ lat. south
First Quart. 4 day, 5 night							
Full moon 12 day, 2 morn.	10	40	2 47	1 7	1 15	7 28	2 54
Last Quart. 20 day, 6 mor.	13	40	2 47	1 7	1 23	7 29	0 n 47
New moon 27 day, 10 mo.	19	40	2 47	1 7	1 28	6 50	1 52
	25	40	2 46	1 7	1 33	5 38	2 6

M	W	Festival	Aspects	D	☉	H	h	u	♂	♀	♂	D	D lat.
D	D	Days.	& Weat.	fets.	☾	Ω	Υ	♈	♊	♋	♌	m	north
1	S	Remigius	Windy	7 50	8 13	18 16	11 13	4 15	25 32	3 36			
2	B	15 S. aft. T.	* ♂ ♀	8 41	9 13	18 16	11 14	4 14	10 2	4 27			
3	M		with	9 38	10 12	18 16	12 14	4 13	24 24	5 1			
4	T		♂ ☉ ♀	10 40	11 11	18 16	12 15	3 11	8 36	5 17			
5	W		Δ h ♂	11 48	12 10	18 16	12 15	3 10	22 35	5 13			
6	T	Faith.	thowers	Morn	13 9	18 16	12 16	3 6	6 20	4 51			
7	F			0 58	14 9	18 16	12 16	3 8	19 51	4 14			
8	S		8. ☉ h	2 8	15 8	18 15	13 17	2 7	3 7	3 23			
9	B	16 S. aft. T.	♂ H ♂	3 17	16 7	18 15	13 18	2 6	16 9	2 23			
10	M	Ox. & Cam.	of rain	4 22	17 7	18 15	13 18	1 6	28 58	1 16			
11	T	[T. be.	* ☉ H	5 34	18 6	18 15	13 19	1 5	11 34	0 7			
12	W		♂ D h	D rif.	19 6	18 15	14 19	1 5	23 58	1 f 1			
13	T	Tr. K. Edw.		6 a 22	20 5	18 15	14 20	0 D	6 8	2 6			
14	F		and va-	6 54	21 5	18 15	14 21	0	18 15	3 4			
15	S		riable	7 28	22 4	18 15	14 21	29 5	0 12	3 53			
16	B	17 S. aft. T.		8 10	23 4	18 15	14 22	28 6	12 4	4 32			
17	M	Etheldred	8 h u	8 56	24 3	18 15	15 22	28 6	23 55	5 0			
18	T	St. Luke	weather	9 46	25 3	18 15	15 23	27 7	5 47	5 14			
19	W	St. Fridiswi.	♂ ☉ ♀	10 43	26 3	18 15	15 23	27 8	17 47	5 18			
20	T		all the	11 43	27 3	18 15	15 24	26 9	29 57	5 2			
21	F		* ♂ ♀	Morn	28 2	19 14	15 25	25 10	12 22	4 35			
22	S		♂ D ♂	0 46	29 2	19 14	16 25	25 11	25 7	3 54			
23	B	18 S. aft. T.	month	1 58	m	2 19	16 26	24 12	8 16	3 0			
24	M		8 h ♂	3 8	1 2	19 14	16 26	24 14	21 50	1 53			
25	T	K. G. III. ac.	♂ D u	4 22	2 2	19 14	16 27	23 15	5 50	0 30			
26	W	K. G. III. pr.	♂ D ♀	5 38	3 2	19 14	17 27	22 17	20 14	on 41			
27	T		* H ♂	D fets	4 2	19 14	17 28	22 18	4 m 58	1 59			
28	F	St. Sim. & Ju	♂ ♀	5 a 48	5 2	19 14	17 29	21 20	19 55	3 10			
29	S			6 36	6 2	19 14	17 29	21 21	4 56	4 9			
30	B	19 S. aft. Tr.		7 32	7 2	19 14	17 30	21 23	19 52	4 50			
31	M			8 35	8 2	19 14	18 0	20 24	4 53	5 11			

D	D. L. beg.	Sun rise	Sun sets	D. L. ends	Day of D.	Day dec.	Clock aft. ☉	h night	u morn	δ morn	♀ night	♂ night
1	4 15	6 11	5 40	7 45	11 38	5 c	10 23	12 31	6 25	5 1	5 46	12 40
7	4 28	6 23	5 37	7 32	11 14	5 24	12 10	12 8	6 9	4 0	5 16	12 30
13	4 41	6 35	5 25	7 19	10 50	5 48	13 43	11 44	5 53	4 7	4 50	12 11
19	4 54	6 46	5 14	7 8	10 28	6 10	14 57	11 20	5 38	4 4	4 22	11 52
25	5 26	6 57	5 36	6 58	10 6	6 32	15 48	10 55	5 22	4 1	rises	11 33

	Quart. 3 day, 1 morn.	D	H lat. north	h lat. south	U lat. north	δ lat. north	♀ lat. south	♂ lat. north
54	Full moon 10 day, 7 at nig.	10	41	2 46	1 8	1 38	3 57	1 45
5	Quart. 18 day, 11 nig.	7	41	2 45	1 8	1 43	2 28	1 11
n 47	New moon 25 day, 9 night	13	41	2 44	1 8	1 48	1 50	3 32
52		19	41	2 42	1 9	1 54	on 1	of 0
6		25	41	2 41	1 10	1 59	1 40	47

Dat. north	W D	Festival Days.	Aspects & Weat.	D fets.	○ m	H S	h V	U A	δ M	♀ S	♂ S	D W	D lat. north
3 36	T	All Saints		9 43	9 2	19 14	18	1 20	26	19	0		5 12
4 27	W	All Souls	Pr. E. b.	10 53	10 3	19 14	18	1 20	27	3	4		4 54
5 1	T	1 return	Col. El.	Morn	11 3	19 14	18	2 19	29	16	45		4 20
5 17	F	[Ps. So. b.	* H ♀	0 3	12 3	19 13	18	2 19	m	0	X	5	3 32
5 13	S	Pow. Plot	Rain	1 13	13 3	19 13	19	3 19	2	13	5		2 35
4 51	S	20 S. aft. T.	Leonar.	2 21	14 3	19 13	19	3 19	4	25	46		1 31
4 14	T	[M. T. b.	♂ D h	3 27	15 4	19 13	19	4 19	0	8	V	18	0 24
3 23	T	Prs. A. S. b.	about	4 33	16 4	19 13	19	5 19	7	20	37		of 44
2 23	W	L.M.D.Lo.		5 37	17 4	19 13	19	5	D	9	2 8	47	1 48
1 16	T		□ ○ H	D rit.	18 5	19 13	20	6 19	10	14	50		2 46
0 7	F	St. Martin	thele	5a26	19 5	19 13	20	6 19	12	26	47		3 37
1 1	S	2 return	days.	6 7	20 6	19 13	20	7 19	14	8	11	41	4 18
2 6	T	21 S. aft. T.	Britius	6 51	21 6	19 13	20	7 19	15	20	32		4 48
3 4	T		* H ♀	7 40	22 7	19 13	20	8 19	17	2	25	24	5 5
3 53	F	Machutus	□ H ♂	8 33	23 7	19 13	21	8 19	18	14	17		5 9
4 32	W		Windy	9 20	24 8	19 13	21	9 19	20	26	16		5 0
5 0	T	H.Bp. Linc.	♂ D H	10 31	25 8	19 13	21	9 20	22	2	24		4 37
5 14	F	3 return	with	11 36	26 9	19 13	21	10 20	23	20	46		4 1
5 15	S		♂ D ♂	Morr	27 10	19 13	21	10 20	25	3	24		3 12
5 2	T	22 S. aft. T.	Edm.	0 44	28 10	19 13	22	11 21	26	16	25		2 13
4 35	T		rain ora	1 54	29 11	19 13	22	11 21	28	29	51		1 4
3 54	W	Cecilia	♂ D ♀	3 8	1 12	19 13	22	12 22	1	13	46		on 1
3 0	T	St. Clement	♂ ○ ♀	4 23	1 12	19 13	22	12 22	1	28	9		1 27
1 53	F	Bal. Col. e.	♂ U ♀	5 42	2 13	19 13	22	13 22	3	12	m	58	2 40
0 39	T	4 ret. St.C.	♂ D ♂	D fets	3 14	19 13	22	13 23	4	28	6		3 42
on 41	F	[D. Gl. b.	fleet.	5a10	4 15	19 12	23	14 24	6	13	1	24	4 30
1 59	S	Advent Su.	Seafon-	6 11	5 16	19 12	23	14 24	7	28	41		4 58
3 10	T	Mic. T. en.	able.	7 19	6 17	19 12	23	15 25	9	12	45		5 5
4 9	T			8 30	7 17	19 12	23	15 25	11	28	26		4 52
4 50	W	St. Andrew	Δ h ♂	9 44	8 18	19 12	24	16 26	12	12	47		4 20
5 11	T	[Anni. me	Ro. So.										

	L. L. Sur.	Sun	D. L. leng.	Day	Clock	h fou	U rit	δ rit	♀ rit.	♂ rit.
	eg. rife	fet.	ends	of D.	dec.	aft. ○	night	morn	morn	morn
12 40	14 7 10	450	6 40	9 40	6 58	16 13	10 26	5 40	36	5 31
12 30	22 7 20	440	6 38	9 20	7 18	16 5	10 14	47	0 31	4 57
12 11	30 7 30	430	6 30	9 0	7 38	15 27	9 36	4 30	0 24	4 30
11 52	37 7 30	421	6 23	8 42	7 56	14 18	9 10	4 12	0 17	4 0
11 33	44 7 48	412	6 14	8 24	8 14	12 30	8 44	3 53	0 0	3 57

	D	H lat. north	h lat. south	u lat. north	δ lat. north	♀ lat. north	♂ lat. south
First Quart. 2 day, 1 aftern.							
Full moon 10 day, 2 after.	10	42 2	40 1	10 2	5 1	50 1	
Last Quart. 18 day, 2 after.	7	42 2	38 1	11 2	1 2	25 1	
New moon 25 day, 7 mor.	13	42 2	36 1	12 2	18 2	51 2	
	19	43 2	35 1	13 2	24 3	8 2	
	25	4 2	33 1	14 2	31 3	17 2	

M	W	Festival Days.	Aspects & Weat.	D fets.	☉ ♂	H ♀	h ♂	u ♀	δ ♂	♀ ♂	D ☉	♂ ♀
1	T			10 57	9 19	19 12	24 16	27 14	26 34	3 3		
2	F		Windy	Morn	10 20	19 12	24 17	27 15	9 55	2 2		
3	S		Δ ☉ h	0 4	11 21	19 12	24 17	28 17	22 51	1 1		
4	B	1 S. in Adv.	(☐ ♂ ♀	1 13	12 22	19 12	24 18	29 18	5 26	0 0		
5	M		with	2 18	13 23	19 12	24 18	20 20	17 46	0 0		
6	T	Nicholas	fnow or	3 21	14 24	19 12	25 19	m 22	29 53	1 1		
7	W			4 24	15 25	19 12	25 19	1 23	11 53	2 2		
8	T	Co. of V. M.	* u ♀	5 24	16 26	19 12	25 19	2 25	23 48	3 3		
9	F		fleet.	6 22	17 27	19 12	25 20	3 26	5 40	4 4		
10	S		Δ ☉ H	D rif.	18 28	19 12	25 20	3 28	17 32	4 4		
11	B	2 S. in Adv.		5a 25	19 29	19 12	25 21	4 29	29 25	4 4		
12	M		Frosty	6 10	20 30	19 12	26 21	5 30	11 20	5 5		
13	T	Lucy		7 13	21 31	19 12	26 22	6 3	23 19	4 4		
14	W		with	8 13	22 32	19 12	26 22	7 4	5 23	4 4		
15	T		♂ D H	9 15	23 33	19 12	26 22	8 6	17 34	3 3		
16	F	Ca. T. ends	O. Sapi.	10 19	24 34	19 12	26 23	8 7	29 56	3 3		
17	S	Ox. T. ends	♂ D ♂	11 27	25 36	19 12	26 23	9 9	12 33	2 2		
18	B	3 S. in Adv.	* ♀ ♀	Morn	26 37	19 12	27 24	10 10	25 27	1 1		
19	M		rain or	0 36	27 38	19 12	27 24	11 12	8 44	0 0		
20	T		fleet.	1 52	28 39	19 12	27 24	12 13	22 27	1 1		
21	W	St. Thomas	Sho. day	3 2	29 40	19 12	27 25	13 15	6 37	2 2		
22	T			4 19	30 41	19 12	27 25	14 16	21 15	3 3		
23	F			5 34	1 43	19 12	27 26	15 18	6 15	4 4		
24	S			6 45	2 44	19 12	27 26	16 19	21 30	4 4		
25	B	4 S. in Adv.	Ch. day	D fets	3 46	19 12	28 26	17 21	6 50	5 5		
26	M	St. Stephen	♂ D ♀	5a 52	4 46	19 12	28 27	18 22	22 34	4 4		
27	T	St. John	☐ H ♀	7 9	5 47	19 12	28 27	19 24	6 58	4 4		
28	W	Innocents	Wind &	8 22	6 49	19 12	28 27	20 25	21 27	3 3		
29	T		rain.	9 34	7 50	18 12	28 28	21 26	5 27	2 2		
30	F		☐ u ♀	10 45	8 51	18 12	28 28	22 28	18 56	1 1		
31	S	Silvester	Δ ♂ ♀	11 53	9 52	18 12	28 29	23 29	1 56	0 0		

D	D. L. beg.	Sun rise	Sun set.	D. L. ends	leng. of D.	Day dec.	Clock aft. ☉	h sou night	u rit. morn	δ rit. night	♀ rit. morn	♂
1	5 46	7 50	4 10	6 15	8 20	8 18	10 33	8 17	3 34	11 59	3 51	9
7	5 53	7 59	4 16	6 7	8 28	8 36	8 57	5 13	14 11	11 48	3 47	9
13	5 56	8 3	3 57	6 4	7 54	8 44	5 20	7 24	2 52	11 37	3 46	8
19	5 58	8 4	3 55	6 2	7 50	8 48	2 24	6 58	2 31	11 24	3 48	8
25	5 57	8 4	3 56	6 3	7 52	in. 2	be. 36	6 31	2 10	11 10	3 54	8



Answers to the last Year's ENIGMAS, REBUSES, CHARADES, &c.

Enigmas.

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|-------------|-----------------|
| I. Noon.    | VI. Shadow.     |
| II. Lime.   | VII. Letter E.  |
| III. Wheel. | VIII. Pig-tail. |
| IV. Window. | IX. Dew.        |
| V. Totum.   | X. Pr. Truth.   |

Rebusses.

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| I. Room.         |
| II. Smock.       |
| III. Love.       |
| IV. Abba.        |
| V. Resurrection. |

Charades.

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| I. East-stoke. | VI. Content.     |
| II. Sign-post. | VII. Township.   |
| III. Wardrobe. | VIII. Courtship. |
| IV. Head-ach.  | I. Ring An.      |
| V. Dishclout.  | II. Last An.     |

Answer to the PRIZE ENIGMA.

1. *On Time, or Triumph of Truth. By Automathicus.*

Time ever brings the right thing about,  
And Truth is in favour, when Falsehood is out.

2. *An Address to the Youths at Great Dalby Academy.*

*By Mr. Charles Metcalfe, School-master of Great Dalby, near  
Melton Mowbray, Leicestershire.*

O docile youths, if you would join respect,  
Let Truth, and Virtue, all your ways direct;  
These heaven-born guests (O! youth) true pleasure give,  
To all that do within their dictates live.  
In your discourse, ever let Truth abound,  
For words without it are but empty sound;  
And if to virtue you are well inclin'd,  
In that alone, you happiness may find.  
But vice, and falsehood, equally detest,  
Let them not harbour in your tender breast;  
Nor know (O youth) such things give God offence,  
And shew a want of grace, as well as sense.  
When the shrill trump shall rend the mould'ring tomb,  
With 'Rise ye dead to meet your awful doom,'

The just rewarded with a crown will be,  
 To live with angels in sweet harmony,  
 O may you with the just your names record,  
 And live for e'er, in heaven, with Christ our Lord.

3. *By Mr. Patrick Hall, Schoolmaster of Denby, Derbyshire.*

With thoughts profound, I mus'd upon your prize,  
 And *Truth*, itself, came clear before my eyes.

4. *Addressed to the Author. By Veteranus, of Finedon.*

If, worthy Sirs, the prize I right define,  
 'Tis God-like *Truth* that doth so noble shine ;  
 Oh ! grant ye Gods, that *Truth* may then possess,  
 The only real source of happiness.

5. *By Mr. Thomas Fox, Norton, Derbyshire.*

*Truth*, and fell vice, do govern all our passion,  
 But vice, alas ! is now the reigning fashion ;  
*Truth*, it is prais'd, but little practis'd by us,  
 So loose the age, that few are truly pious.

6. *By Mr. Benjamin Kemp, of Farnsfield, Nottinghamshire.*

Virtue and *Truth*, are attributes divine,  
 Which should in every breast conspicuous shine.

7. *By Mr. T. Waring, Leicester.*

What mortal below, can appear more divine,  
 As when *Truth*, and prudence, and innocence join.

8. *By Mr. George Ward, of Hinckley.*

Al'mathicus, with great design,  
 In ev'ry verse and ev'ry line,  
 Still bright'ning to the eyes ;

By reading o'er the mystic tale,  
 The lines beginning to unveil ;  
 See *Truth* herself arise.

9. *By Virtuoso.*

How bless'd the parent, who shall find  
*Truth* gracing every infant's mind.

*Ingenious versified answers were also given by Messrs. Adcock, R. Allwood, J. Bower, B. Burn, Clark, Dixon, Eaton, Fletcher, Garton, Hunter, Jackson, J-n-n, Kite, Swift, Savage, Smith, Saller, White.*

GENERAL ANSWERS to all the ENIGMAS.

1. By Mr. Patrick Hall, of Denby, Derbyshire.

on, Lime, Wheel, Window, Totum, Shadow, Tail,  
Dew, and Truth, the enigmas will reveal.

On Life. By Mr. George Dixon, Gosport, Hants,  
Teacher of Navigation and Astronomy.

You the *Noon* of life have seen,  
Rest on this, my friend,  
Was the morning of it spent,  
Serious thoughts attend.  
Think e'er you've spent th' other half  
None must then appear,  
When keen reflections will be like  
Sword, or sharpest spear.  
O'er your heart somewhat like stone,  
Cannot feel it now,  
Cushion-like, it pierced is  
When sin, quite thro' and thro'.

Look in the *Window* of your breast,  
And see your vanity,  
In *Pig-tail*, *Shadow*, *Dewy* things,  
In these no rest can be.  
You, like a *Totum* too, have spent  
Your time in *Wheel*-ing round,  
Something that pleas'd the eye of sense,  
Here no content was found.  
Indeed, sublun'ry things contain  
No lasting real joy,  
Seek *Truth*, and do her close pursue,  
Her pleasures never cloy.

3. On Rural Life. By Mr. W. White, of Barwell.

Collin has swept the morning *Dew*,  
Went off the verdant plains,  
And as may their toil renew,  
The village nymphs and swains.  
He sows his *Lime*, or guides the  
The furrows does he feel, (plough,  
When thr, as chearful, milks her cow,  
He turns the spinning *Wheel*.  
The flocks retire beneath the *Shade*,  
Than the *Noon*-tide heat,

While *Collin* woo's the tender maid,  
To make his joys compleat.  
No powder'd *Tail* adorns his head,  
Or *Windows* lash'd their cot,  
'Tis *Truth*, they ask their daily bread,  
Contented with their lot;  
Religious holy paths pursue,  
Obey their maker's call,  
E'er to this world they bid adieu,  
And, like a *Totum*, fall.

4. BELINDA'S Answer.

*Collin*, these strains pray forbear,  
Pensive dilemmas I impart,  
Corrosive grief, I declare,  
Melted my fond loving heart.  
First your epistle I read,  
Logical phrase can express,  
Turbulence that overspread  
Heart to a solvent rediefs.  
Pleasure, past scenes I review,  
Source of our infantine love,  
Sable transits pursue,  
The green verge of the grove.  
First our commencement begun,  
Sable accents of love,  
Happy that *Noon* that or-  
tain'd,  
Anquil contracts from above.

Sometime mere distraction for me,  
O'erwhelmeth my natural sense,  
*Lime*, *Window*, *Totum*, *Shade*, *Mist*,  
*Queue*,  
And such like fantastical nonsense.  
But, in your conclusion I've seen  
The poet, gay lover, and friend,  
Your temper, as summer serene,  
Where rural sweet *Truth* it doth blend.  
My heart, with my hand, I propose  
To *Collin*'s benevolent will,  
To him many sweets I'll disclose,  
In the secular farce of quadrille.  
Convivial scenes shall abound, (knot  
Whilst I'm pleas'd with *Collin*'s top-  
The silent green groves shall resound  
With love's jubilating eclat.

## 5. The Invitation. By Mr. T. Fox, Norton, Derbyshire

Would you taste the Noon tide air,  
To yond fragrant *Shade* repair,  
Where the *Lime's*, and poplars great,  
Form a sure and safe retreat.  
Where the linner mounts his *Tail*,  
Singing sweetly through the dale,  
*Window*, *Wheel*, nor *Totum's* range,

To disturb love's sweet exchange,  
Where bright sol, in splendid hue,  
Has dispell'd the morning *Dew*,  
Shelter'd from his piercing rays,  
Happy shall be all our days,  
Crown'd with virtue, *Truth*, and love,  
We shall taste the joys above.

## 6. An Ode to Spring. By Mr. John Savage, Coventry

Hail blithsome spring, thy chearing  
rays,  
Makes winter quit our isles,  
And tuneful nestlings chant their lays,  
And all creation smiles.  
In ice tho' late the streams were bound,  
Now in meander flow,  
Which turns the mill *Wheel* softly  
And gentle breezes blow. (round,  
Each *Noon* the lambskins seek the  
*Shade*,  
And *Window* blinds are spread,  
And bees skim o'er the flowery mead,  
Till Phœbus hides his head.

Each eve, young *Damon*, with his  
By *Lime* pits, cross the vale,  
With hear's of *Truth*, allay'd  
care,  
Rehearse the lover's tale.  
*Ty'd-bair*, nor *Totum*, ne'er can  
Or once intrude their mind,  
His virtuous fair he strives to please  
Who proves to him as kind.  
While *Phi omela* chants her songs,  
And *Dew*, descending fall,  
What happy joy, their walk  
longs,  
And spring proclaims them all.

## 7. A Morning Walk. By Mr. Benjamin Kemp, Farnsfield, Nottinghamshire.

The morn sub-*Lime* drives darksome *Shades* away ; } 2. 6.  
Rule, O ! my soul, and due obedience pay  
To the great author of returning day. }  
Each tree umbrageous yields a cool retreat,  
And gentle *Dew* repels the Noon-tide heat ; 9. 1  
See glorious Sol *Wheels* his triumphant course, 3. 7.  
Each *Window* celebrates the heavenly source. 4.  
Each plant, and flower, where e'er we turn to view,  
Does their great author's power, and wisdom shew ;  
Let *Fig-tail'd* sops in lux'ry still delight, 8.  
And o'er their cards, or *Totum*, waste the night. 5.  
Be mine the task, gay nature's works to read,  
And *Truth* and virtue learn, where e'er I tread : Pr.  
Thus, contemplation shall my hours employ,  
And taste eternal sweets that never cloy.

## 8. By Mr. Wm. Salter, jun.

When rosy morn awakes the rising day,  
And *Shades* of night in swiftness fly away,

6. Shadow.  
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- light to the fields, in fancy's form I rove,  
 view the pleasures of the leafy grove;  
 ere feather'd songsters fill the limpid air,  
 whose notes melodious, harmony most rare;  
 ere sylvan shepherds lead their fleecy trains  
 through pleasant vales, to feed on fertile plains.  
 ere chearful swains again renew their toil,  
 to make the sterile field with verdure smile;  
 ere glittering Dew bedecks the verdant mead,  
 and flow'rs ambrosial scent the Noon-day shade.  
 ere lofty tow'rs, around, in splendour rise,  
 whose Top's, sub-Lime, seem lost in lofty skies;  
 within the rural cot, and mossy cell,  
 Contentment, Truth, and innocence do dwell.  
 and the cottage Window, woodbine sweet,  
 win'd with roses, form a scene most neat;  
 as glide the pleasures of a country life,  
 from ambition, pride, and jarring strife.  
 allst in the town, where pride and folly grow,  
 calls the gay coxcomb, and the fribbling beau,  
 whose powder fine, besmear'd all o'er his Hair,  
 to gain the heart of some unguarded fair.  
 The Wheel of fortune can his thoughts invite,  
 where pleasure and fashion are his whole delight;  
 but pride and folly, conquering time shall rust,  
 and each gay fashion moulder in the dust.
9. By Mr. J. Smith, School-master, Digby, near Sleasford.
- How happy is he, who is blest with a wife,  
 who's abl'd to pass thro' this troublesome life;  
 whose mind always happy, no care in his pate,  
 whose thirst for ambition, no wish to be great.  
 who rises each morning at break of the day,  
 who supplicates heaven to prosper his way;  
 who's evened and chearful, to work does repair,  
 who's crust in his pocket, and bottle of beer.  
 who's sowing, or fowing, or spreading of Lime,  
 who's hedging, or ditching, he spendeth his time;  
 who worketh all day till decline of the sun,  
 who home to his wife when his labour is done.  
 who, when she perceives him the Window pass by,  
 who knows that she Loves him she will not deny;  
 when, to his comfort, he enters the Room,  
 who's Courtship and pleasure, she welcomes him home.  
 who's chearfully sits herself down to her Wheel,  
 whose mutual contentment no one can reveal;

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5. Totum. 2.

Prize.

4.

8. Tail.

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3 Rebus.

1 R.

8 Char.

3.

They always are happy, their joys ever new,  
 And blessings fall on them, refreshing as *Dew*. 9.  
 No *Tails* or *Ye-totums*, or such trifling toys 8. 5.  
 Are at any time wanted t' add to their joys ;  
 Their sweet rattling babes are their chiefest delight,  
 And the whole of their care at morn, *Neon*, or night, 1.  
 Is t' have them 'train'd up, that they pleasure may find,  
 In the paths of great *Truth* and improvement of mind. Pr.  
 Thus may they prepare, as they slide into years,  
 Take leave of this life, being void of all fears ;  
 And then may their bodies sleep sweetly in dust,  
 'Till th' last *Resurrection*, and rise with the just. 5 *Rev.*

### 10. On Life. By *Mancunienfis*.

Ah ! what is life ! 'tis but a dream,  
 'Tis shorter than the *Noon-tide* sun !  
 Swift as the *Shadow*, of the stream,  
 Our *Wheeling* moments run.  
 Just as the *Lime* absorbs the *Dew*,  
 Or as the sun doth melt the snow,  
 So time devours the moments few,  
 Allotted us t' spend below.

Then since our circling days do pass,  
 Swift as the *Whirligig* doth dance,  
 And life is brittle as the glass,  
 That in the *Window's* broke by chance  
 Let us delight in sacred *Truth*,  
 And not in *Foppish* actions spend  
 Our precious time, but in our youth  
 Make preparations for our end.

*Ingenious answers were also given by Messrs. Waring, Autonticus, Adcock, Overton, Swift, Ward, and others.*

## Last Year's REBUSSES, CHARADES, &c. answered

### GENERAL ANSWERS.

#### 1. By Mr. Benjamin Kemp, of Farnsfield, Nottinghamshire

In the township of *East-stoke*, a nymph doth reside,  
 Whom oft times in *Courtship* I have woo'd for my bride ;  
 Have provided a *Wardrobe*, and *Disheclout* likewise,  
 And have furnished each *Room* to allure her sweet eyes.  
 No *Smock-faced* intruder a rival can prove,  
 If *Papa* gives consent, and admits of our love ;  
 Content-ed at *Last*, if she the *Ring* will receive,  
 I would covet no splendour that *India* can give.  
 But be happy with her, and a competent store,  
 Never wish for a *Sign-post* to stand at our door ;  
 If *Head-ach*, or sickness, should approach to my cot,  
 I would then still endeavour to bear with my lot,  
 And serenely reside with the maid of the mill,  
 If her temper is calm, and her tongue but lie still ;  
 But a scold should she be—oh ! detested reflection,  
 I'd then wish for death, and a new *Resurrection*.

2. On the Death of a Friend. By Mr. W. Salter, jun.

Ye zephyrs mild, that wave each spray, hear this my mournful tale,

Which I in perturb'd lines pourtray, in coverts of the vale.

Farewell, alas! what dire *Mischance* consign'd thee to the grave,

Where pallid spectred ghosts walk o'er the relicks of the brave.

No more shall *Sign-post* meet thy sight, within this *Township* gay.

Nor *East-stoke* bard shall thee delight, since thou'rt resign'd to clay.

No *Wardrobes* fill'd with rich *Attire*, can e'er thy fancy move,

Nor *Courtship* will thy soul require to gain thy Saviour's love.

No more can *Dishclout* pleasure give, since to that *Room* thou'rt fled,

No sweet *Content* can I receive, since number'd with the dead.

Grant, heavenly *Father*, pensive pray'r, let me obtain but this,

When *Resurrection-day* appears, to meet with endless bliss.

Last Year's QUERIES answered.

I. QUERY answered. By Mr. George Ward, of Hinckley.

There is no mention of the two thieves in any book, but in the gospel of *Nicodemus*, where, after the manner of his trial and condemnation, it is said, "After these things, they led him to the cross, and there they crucified him betwixt two thieves, *Dismus* on the right, and *Gesmus* on the left." For the authority of the book I cannot vouch; Dr. Stackhouse, in his *Life of Christ*, calls it a false erroneous gospel, &c.

II. QUERY answered. By Mr. George Dixon, of Gosport.

*Palmyra*, in the province of *Syria* in *Turkey*, in *Asia*, once a superb and noble city, ten miles in circumference, and the pride of the eastern world, has long been in ruins. After *Odenathus*, the last king of *Palmyra*, died, his wife *Zenobia* reigned in great glory for some time, but not being able to brook the Romans tyranny, she declared war against the emperor *Aurelian*, who took her prisoner, led her in triumph to *Rome*, and butchered her principal nobility; and, amongst others, the sublime *Longinus*, who was her secretary. This happened in the year 273 of the christian æra; soon after which *Aurelian* destroyed the city, and massacred its inhabitants. Mr. G. Ward says this happened 2621 years after the deluge, and 273 after the birth of *Christ*. Mr. Thomas Fox, and others, answered it also.

III. QUERY answered. By Automathicus.

That I may not be thought singular in my opinion, I shall give my answer in the words of an eminent author or two:—

"No science has a more distinct sphere of pursuit, than the moral one, and the subjects about which it is employed, cannot for their usefulness and importance be surpassed by any. The moral literature is the true province of man. It must be so, since his best nature and highest interest are universally acknowledged to be moral; and if they are moral, this study alone comes up to the true end and dignity of rational life; this then is the master science, in comparison of which, most other sciences are no more than the toys of literature; even the science of government and laws, is derived from it, and cannot, according to the order of nature, deserve equal honour. The province of this moral science, is to instruct us in the knowledge of God, and his perfections, to aggrandise our sentiments of the universe, its laws and government; to familiarize to our view the principal designs of our own being; to model our whole conduct in correspondence with these, and thus direct us to the dignity and true happiness of moral life." This is ancient wisdom; this is the true philosophy, of which neither *Socrates*, *Timæus*, *Locrus*, nor the oldest father of wisdom in Greece, was the author, for it has been the voice of God to his intelligent creatures from the beginning.

*In a similar manner it was answered by Messrs. G. Dixon, H. Overton, &c.*

#### IV. QUERY answered. By *Philomathematicus*.

The elastic gum, known by the name of Indian rubber, or lead-eater, is very probable the most proper ingredient to put in the varnish. N. B. The gum may be dissolved in *Etherial* spirit, then mixt with the varnish.

#### V. QUERY answered. By *Mr. John Overton, the proposer*.

An elliptical tool will always give a parabolic figure to a speculum, by polishing it with cross strokes, as is done for a spherical figure, where the diameter of the speculum does not exceed one fourth of its focal length, and the thickness one tenth of its diameter; the diameters of the polisher should, in such a case, bear a proportion to each other, as 9:10, the shortest, or transverse diameter, being exactly the same as that of the speculum; a tool accurately formed as above directed, so that the speculum shall adhere to the polisher uniformly, will necessarily cause the metal to take the parabolic curve from within outwards, the conjugate diameter of the polisher will have a tendency to work the metal into a large sphere, consequently every time the metal is worked upon that diameter, it will polish faster towards the edges of the metal, the other diameter



meter having a tendency to keep it truly spherical. The stone pitch formed into the proper convexity, and the metal polished in a room where the thermometer stands at about 100 temperate, will in general do. If the speculum has a hole in the middle, it is to be observed that the polisher must have a hole likewise. Should it be wanted to polish a metal which is thicker than one tenth of its diameter, the transverse diameter should be one twentieth less than the diameter of the metal, and the conjugate one twentieth more. Should the metal be very thick, the conjugate diameter should be the same as the metal, and the transverse as 9:10 accurately; the parabolic curve would, in this case, be obtained from without. Towards the lesser diameter having a tendency to shorten the curve, consequently increase the curve in the metal, the concave having a tendency to keep it truly spherical. The above is from experience; I, a few days ago, polished a metal of 14½ inches, with 4 inches diameter, upon a tool as above, which answered exceeding well, as its diameter exceeded ¼ of its length; the diameters of the polisher was as 87:100.

NEW ENIGMAS to be answered in next Year's DIARY.

I. ENIGMA (35) *By Mr. William Swift, of Stow.*

I am a lion—can that be true,	I am the moon—seen day and night.
I'm a leopard—how then say you.	I'm a ha-rick—that's strange to me,
I am a king—you must shew it,	I am a ship—that ne'er can be,
I am <i>Shakeſpear</i> —that's a poet.	I'm your servant—yes so you say,
I am the sun—that can't be right,	What's at your door—your name I pray

II. ENIGMA (36) *By Mr. John Smith, of Digby.*

Free from pride, and void of strife,	Yet its flames I ne'er approve,
Whirls of a busy life,	Th' commandments I do embrace,
I live amidst th' groves and bow'rs,	Yet in heav'n shall ne'er have place.
While away my pleasing hours.	What you've seen my name unfold,
Sometimes I'm found a slave to love,	Already its tale plainly told.

III. ENIGMA (37) *By Mr. T. Fox, of Norton, Derbyshire.*

I come with a clatter,	Who loved her belly,
And full of good matter,	I plainly do tell ye,
I fill up a <i>Diary</i> page;	And soon you'll acknowledge the same.
Not one out of seven,	I am long, or I'm round,
Swager's laid even,	And am frequently bound,
With me wou'd wish to engage.	By th' notes of one or another;
I am an odd creature,	Iust the colour of <i>Cain</i> ,
Formed by nature,	Quickly after he'd slain,
Wh' produce of some dainty dame;	And kill'd his poor righteous brother.

And

And tho' I am despis'd,  
By a tribe circumcis'd,  
Now scatter'd and spread the world o'er  
I'm a dainty for kings,  
As the old poet sings,  
When drenched in my mother's gore.  
And when cramm'd with her fat,  
(I wou'd have you mark that)  
And scorch'd in th' flame by my maker

I do please young or old,  
Either modest or bold,  
Whoe'er of me is partaker.  
I, at *Christmas*, am known  
In the country and town,  
And at the house of the vicar;  
So then, what can I be,  
Come and tell unto me,  
And you shall have store of good liquor

#### IV. ENIGMA (38) By Mr. John Savage, of Coventry.

When winter quits his gloomy reign,  
And blooming spring returns again,  
Soon as the lark doth leave his nest,  
And soaring swells his little breast.  
Soon as he tunes his artless strains,  
We speed across the verdant plains,  
Yet not to plains confin'd are we,  
In meads and groves you oft us see.  
But hark, how cruelly we're us'd,

How shockingly we are abus'd,  
We're treated with the pangs of hell,  
Such dreadful pains no tongue can tell.  
Then tyrants, for to make more straits  
Rob us of both our food and life;  
So we in patient agony,  
Do fall beneath their hand and die,  
And leave our store for their great use,  
Who treated us with such abuse.

#### V. ENIGMA (39) By Philomathematicus.

From *India's* burning clime I'm brought  
With cooling gales; like zephyrs, fraught;  
The rain-bow, when it paints the sky,  
Can't shew more diff'rent hues than I,  
So fast can't change its form with gales,  
I'm now and then both masts and sails;  
I am yellow, blue, red, and green,

A beggar there, and here a queen.  
When ladies view th' grand parade,  
Or when they are at masquerade;  
I then do grace the lovely fair,  
And sometimes live in house of hair.  
I shew, at once, both heat and cold,  
But stop my pen, my tale is told.

#### VI. ENIGMA (40) By Mr. George Dixon, Teacher of Astronomy, &c.

Attend, ye riddling wits attend,  
At once behold in me a friend;  
Friend did I say, sure I am no foe,  
But would on you rich gifts bestow.  
I preach good doctrine, but its pow'rs  
Where reason's blinded, seldom cures;  
Nor will they hearken to my voice,  
But make destruction's rule their  
choice;

They vainly hate me all their days,  
And shun me when I shew my face.

O! *British youth*, be ye more wise,  
Nor once to good a friend despise;  
But kindly take me to your breast,

A blessing I'm if thou carest'd;  
A mother I to you will prove,  
And crown you with a father's love;  
I'll never leave you but will stand,  
When danger's near at your right  
hand.

And will uphold you by my pow'r,  
When sharp temptations do allure;  
Then even let me be your guide,  
O'er all your actions to preside.  
Religion, wisdom, then will shine,  
And you yourself appear divine;  
Now tell me who this friend can be,  
Next year in *BRITISH DIARY*.

#### VII. ENIGMA (41) By Mr. W. Harris, of Nuneaton.

Aside, aside, ye wits and bards of fame,  
Whilst I my uses, and virtues name;  
I ease man's feeble joints, am his defence,  
'Gainst snarling curs and men of insolence.

I'm mostly round, am either short or long,  
 never speak (good reason) I've no tongue ;  
 Nor have I life, yet, well apply'd, I send  
 The busy home, and make the haughty bend.

When two brave sons of Britain's isle agree,  
 Duels to fight, did each make use of me ;  
 Instead of arms, that precious blood do spill,  
 And drub each other, till they get their fill.  
 I doubt not but it would save many lives,  
 And keep from being widows, many wives,  
 Nor need poor helpless orphans to complain,  
 The loss of fathers, by this practice slain.  
 Kind bards adieu—you soon will guess my name,  
 Tho' hid i'th' BRITISH DIARY of fame.

### VIII. ENIGMA (42) By Mr. Benj. Kemp, of Farnsfield.

Why should the muse extend in plaintive songs,  
 The sad catastrophe of my mother's wrongs ;  
 How earth's foundations shook, the rocks were rent,  
 Ere I to aid mankind forthwith was sent ;  
 Suffice to say, I sped from distant plains,  
 And early cross'd great Neptune's salt domains ;  
 Hence royal sanction dignified my birth,  
 And Britain's sons well knew my use and worth.  
 Soon as I'm form'd I quit my native home,  
 To which, perhaps, I never more must come ;  
 But wander (*Gipsy like*) from place to place,  
 In post of honour, or of foul disgrace.  
 I (*itinerant like*) am driven here and there,  
 Yet ev'ry rank my presence doth revere ;  
 But seldom let their idol fav'rite rest,  
 Need pleasure, pastime soon demand this guest.  
 Search *British* annals, and you'll find in me  
 A magic spell—a wond'rous prodigy ;  
 For me, the lawyer ably pleads his cause ;  
 For me, the prostitute breaks Virtue's laws ;  
 For me, the learn'd mysterious arts reveal ;  
 For me, perdition's sons break thro' and steal ;  
 For me, how oft the lyre hath been unstrung ;  
 For me, how many a fellow hath been hung ;  
 The active tradesmen, and laborious wight,  
 Anxious for me, will labour day and night ;  
 In short, man's universal actions be,  
 In termination pointed out to me.

### IX. ENIGMA

IX. ENIGMA (43) *By Automathicus.*

Before Deucalion's flood I had my name,  
 To the end of time I shall retain the same ;  
 Various my shapes—I often change my hue,  
 Tho' old I am, yet ev'ry year am new.  
 Oft cloth'd in white—sometimes wear a black robe,  
 And I am known in most parts of the globe ;  
 A harden'd wretch against the half clad poor ;  
 Sometimes a friend to beggars at the door.  
 At times appear with hoary head and beard,  
 At others have in female form appear'd ;  
 All friendly still I am unto the ground,  
 And lately smil'd, till my successor frown'd ;  
 Yet smiles are almost strangers in my face,  
 And laughing beauties by me lose their grace.  
 All pale and meagre I'm frequently seen,  
 With huge large teeth, intensely sharp and keen,  
 Without remorse—feel not for others woe,  
 No tenderness of conscience ever know.  
 To you an useful lesson I yet teach,  
 And like a parson, to the great do preach ;  
 When I am most severe, let them be mild,  
 Relieve the widow, and the orphan child ;  
 To all the poor benevolence extend,  
 Then shall their heav'nly father be their friend.

X. ENIGMA (44) *By Mr. Thomas Leybourn.*

Says *Phyllis* to *Strephon*, and then you shall find,  
 That I to my *Strephon* will ever be kind ;  
 I've been, and am still, in all kingdoms and states,  
 For so it is decreed by th' unchangeable fates ;  
 That no peopled planet, that shines in yon sphere,  
 Can exist a moment, if I am not there.  
 Even heav'n itself would be joyless to all,  
 Should I be absent ; this wonderful ball  
 To mortals cou'd yield no delight I protest,  
 Not a babe could exist, no parent be blest.  
 No ship on the ocean one moment would ride,  
 No friend be sincere, nay ! not bridegroom or bride,  
 Could feel the least transport of joy or delight,  
 Their day would be wretched, and joyless the night ;  
 'Tis I that give freedom, yet I can oppress,  
 Can keep rogues in jail, or can yield them redress.  
 I murd'ers can punish, or I can refrain,  
 In all that I do strictest justice remain ;



'Tis I can give happiness, I can do all  
 That mortals can wish for, and I'm at their call.  
 They know me, they feel me, acknowledge my pow'r,  
 They love and detest me, aye, both in one hour.

### XI. ENIGMA (45) *By Belinda.*

When gay Aurora's rosy fingers fair,  
 First op'd the scenes for sol's triumphant car;  
 When lovely nature's smiling landscape teen,  
 The lucid pomp of night's illust'us queen,  
 Escorted by her bright nocturnal train, }  
 While Phebus fair, a destin'd vagrant roll,  
 In curv'd gradations round the artic pole;  
 Then Terras bosom was my vast empire,  
 So once I own'd him for a potent fire.  
 Sublunar sceptics bias'd by rude will,  
 Asserting this, displays their want of skill;  
 From northern shades a mighty hero sprung,  
 And thro' the air his voice terrific rung.  
 Not words alone did thro' the ether glide,  
 But lucid facts by machines verify'd;  
 Transfer'd my being to ethereal mold,  
 Where I shall, during time, my vigils hold.  
 The world alarmed at this recent change,  
 With grisly shields in hostile phalanx range  
 Along the fields with militant career,  
 Pride led the van, while shame brought up the rear.  
 Proud fancy storms with a gigantic rage,  
 And wond'rous conflicts fill'd the ample stage;  
 When lo! a second to our hero came,  
 That willingly approves his recent scheme.  
 Dilates its fame to regions far and near,  
 Within the limits of the solar year;  
 Dismay'd, each opponent's bombastic roar,  
 And shall preside till time shall be no more.  
 Then ponderous globes around the central sun,  
 Their first excentric rapid course begun;  
 My vast influence o'er the world's wide stage,  
 Earth, air, and seas, o'er king and antique sage.  
 Behold, I make huge systems harmonize,  
 In pert gradations thro' the azure skies;  
 Without my aid, grim chaos would regain  
 His primeal seat, and black despotic reign;  
 Kind gents explore this quintessence divine,  
 And verdant laurels shall your brows entwine.

### XII. ENIGMA

XII. ENIGMA (46) The Prize Enigma. *By Mr. Waring.*

What pleasing sounds are these that greet my ear?  
 Is it not *Philomel*—or Chanticleer?  
 Or are the Gods at their ambrosial feast;  
 In Tempes vale, salubrious vale of rest,  
 Or are Helconian bards in strains sublime?  
 Their harps in tune; with true poetic rhyme;  
 But stay, my muse, behold the sphinx, propound,  
 A new enigma, dark, obscure, profound;—  
 But ye Oedipean wits, who in the maze  
 Of dark intricate windings bear the bays,  
 With ease will find the clue, and bring to light,  
 Each abstruse meaning, and each dark indite;  
 Beware of flattery—beware of me,  
 The fost'ring parent of hypocrisy.  
 I steep her baneful darts in poison'd gall,  
 And make, by mental pow'r, the wisest fall;  
 I led the Prince of Hell that fatal road,  
 Our parents to beguile, in blest abode.  
 And brought a heavy curse down from on high,  
 The dreadful sentence, "Man shall surely die"—  
 Tremendous hour, when man the victim fell,  
 From lucent greatness, to the verge of hell—  
 The heav'nly choir their golden harps forsook,  
 Nor evangelic host their silence broke;  
 A solemn awe each countenance pourtray'd,  
 A dismal gloom o'erspread the earth with shade.  
 Deep pealing thunder rent the ambient air,  
 And glaring horror, mingled with despair.  
 Thus see how man, by one false step, thro' me,  
 Sunk from immortal to mortality.  
 Tho' not consign'd to wickedness alone,  
 True charity can witness deeds I've done.  
 There's scarce a deed, in great or less degree,  
 But what derives its origin from me;  
 With what resplendent lustre I appear,  
 When pious christians are devout in pray'r.  
 I baffle Satan, break his sinful rod,  
 And make the just walk humbly with their God;  
 And you, ye fair, whose captivating charms,  
 Whose smiles enraptures, and whose frown disarms;  
 Distrust the faithless swain, nor let him say,  
 Thro' fallacy, he's stolen me away.  
 But may your beauties, and your virtues shine,  
 Enrich'd with wisdom, graceful and divine,  
 That when the last shrill trumpet rends the skies,  
 Eternal bliss may be th' important prize.

NEW REBUSES, CHARADES, &c.

REBUS (23) *By the Rev. Robert Wellbank, of Malton.*

The name of an isle, pray a consonant join,  
The name of a place where sinners fed twine;  
The rightly connected, a town will appear,  
Which a King ate of an honest man's cheer.

II. REBUS (24) *By Mr. John Smith, of Digby.*

The first place, two right lines take,	A letter with acute angles two,
As many angles make,	Then should a friend come you to see,
To contain one fourth of all	Three fifths of what he's sure to be.
Agrees in this terrestrial ball.	Connect them right, they'll bring to
A circle, place in view	What's kept in awe by very few. (view)

III. REBUS (25) *By Mr. John Savage, of Coventry.*

Who took queen <i>Vashtis'</i> place,	Connect them, and to you's reveal'd,
Third son, one half, express,	The name of one I must reverse,
Word of her that was beguill'd;	I think she's queen of all the fair.

REBUS (26) *By Mr. William Harris, of Nuneaton.*

Third of what fair ladies use	These rightly join'd, a bard will shew,
Mer, and a beast pray choose,	Whose works do grace the <i>Di'ry</i> thro'.

V. REBUS (27) *By Mr. Thomas Leybourn.*

One third of a place, where is plenty of wine,  
The front of an army when drawn up in line,  
Battle, their enemies t' face, with musket in hand,  
A bird you'll discover that's found at Japan.

VI. REBUS (28) *By Automathicus.*

Two two sixths of *Priam's* eldest son,  
Half of him who gain'd his speech by fright,  
One fifth of an ancient bard who shone,  
Will bring the place of my nati to light.

NEW CHARADES.

CHARADE (20) *By Mr. W. White, of Barwell.*

When gen'l Spring returns again,	Succeeded by the wintry blast,
Amkins skip the flowery plain,	When falling snows conceal the ground,
Sol calls forth each busy bee,	My next is then most useful sound.
It ascends each spreading tree.	My whole will shew, without a doubt,
When these pleasing scenes are past,	A brother quill, pray find him out.

CHARADE (21) *By Mr. William Harris, of Nuneaton.*

Whole my first to hold in thrall,	My second is well known to all,
Ed upon a tree,	A useful stone to be.

CHARADE (22) *By Mr. George Ward, of Hinckley.*

First is made of <i>Iv'ry</i> white,	O cautious youth I beware my whole,
Which numerous eyes;	Dread my infectious touch,
And a fine sort of wood,	For thousands have been lost and won,
Carpenters do prize.	Ah! a thousand times as much.

IV. CHARADE

IV. CHARADE (23) *By Mr. Benjamin Kemp, of Farnsfield.*

On yonder eminence my first is seen,  
 Alternate changing, as the changeful air;  
 My next invigorates the verdant green,  
 Or gently falls on *Sylvia's* fleecy care.  
 When my impending whole its powers display,  
 Gay nature mourns, and droops a languid head,  
 Sad devastation marks his potent sway,  
 And fruits, and foliage, soon, alas, are fled.

V. CHARADE (24) *By Mr. William Stainsby, of Morley.*

In my first is immersed th' fruit of the field,  
 Which *Ceres* and *Vesta*, compell'd for to yield,  
 The pauper my second doth too often lack,  
 In the wint'ry season to cover his back.  
 My whole, as 'tis said, were a deep mourning dress,  
 For the people of yore when in dire distress.

VI. CHARADE (25) *By Automathicus.*

In the billowy deep, my first behold,  
 My next's the strength of the brave hero bold;  
 Hodge in a rage, my whole is cruel sound,  
 Yet kindly doth fair *Cynthia* surround.

VII. CHARADE (26) *By Mr. William Salter, of Bilston.*

When sol's bright beams sweet genial warmth do spread,  
 From flowery lawns my first is straight convey'd;  
 My next assists the traveller on his way,  
 When sable night obscures the face of day.  
 My whole *Diarians* (when at Hymen's shrine,  
 Love's token does two hearts in one combine)  
 For a short time refulgently doth shine. }

VIII. CHARADE (27) *By Mr. Wm. Marsden, of Netherhugh.*

As chief in succession my first must be reckon'd,  
 And clothing, most curious, is wrought in my second;  
 When rent is behind, and goods taken away,  
 The whole, tho' a part, is permitted to stay.

IX. CHARADE (28) *By Mr. Wm. Swift, of Stow.*

My first you have on the sea shore,	To ease their aching heads at sea;
Where winds blow high, and billows	But if my whole they come too near,
As for my second, all agree, (roar;	It makes the crew all in great fear,
Each wear'd tar oft wish for me,	All hands aloft, some here some there.

I. ANAGRAM (5) *By Veteranus, of Finedon.*

Transpose, if you please, an old Latin poet,  
 Exhibits my wants, too well I do know it.

II. ANAGRAM (6) *By Mr. Thomas Leybourn.*

One kind of animals transpos'd, will tell,  
 What many farmers they have got to sell.

## III. ANAGRAM



III. ANAGRAM. (7) By *Automathicus*,

A name oft gi'en to food, if transpos'd right,  
Will bring a strange phenomenon to sight.

I. PARADOX (3) By *Mr. Wm. Swift, of Slow*.

Ye ladies s' witty, attend to my ditty, and mark out my plentiful dish,  
A hen, a capon, with eight pounds of bacon, besides a fine large salmon fish;  
The gallons of wine I drank at that time, eat a leg and a shoulder o' mutton,  
Is done all one day, but how and where say, for fear you should call-m' a  
glutton.

II. PARADOX (4) By *Mr. Thomas Leybourn*.

Dear gents, pray believe me, I'll make it appear,  
That the sum of two numbers their difference are.

NEW QUERIES.

I. QUERY (20) By *Mr. George Dixon*.

Whether or no will the full moon in May, 1798, produce an  
eclipse of the moon! Required a general rule for such deter-  
minations in this, or any other example of the like nature?

II. QUERY (21) By *Mr. John Elliott, of Malton*.

Why do we see in dales, near limpid rills,  
Thick mists or fogs, when none's on tow'ring hills?

III. QUERY (22) By *Mr. Thomas Leybourn*.

Which is soonest reconciled to his misfortunes, a miser that  
has lost his gold, or a lover that has lost his name?

IV. QUERY (23) By *Mr. George Dixon*.

How, or in what manner, may we acquire a true knowledge  
of ourselves, seeing that it leads to so glorious a contemplation  
that of the divine nature?

ANSWERS to the MATHEMATICAL QUESTIONS.

QUESTION (30) answered by *Mr. A. Buchanan, jun. Sedgefield*.

The given equations are  $\frac{x^2 y^2 + z^2}{2} = (246000) a + xyz$ ,  $x + y$   
(625)  $b$ , and  $xy + z = (1700) c$ . By doubling the first and  
ansposing, we get  $x^2 y^2 - 2xyz + z^2 = 2a$ , and conse-  
quently by extracting the root  $xy - z = \pm \sqrt{2a}$ . But the  
third equation is  $xy + z = c$ . Hence by adding and subtract-  
ing these two, we have  $xy = \frac{c \pm \sqrt{2a}}{2}$ , and  $z = \frac{c \mp \sqrt{2a}}{2}$ .

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Now from the second equation  $x + y = \frac{x}{b} =$  (by substitution

$\frac{c \pm \sqrt{2a}}{z}$  for its equal  $z$ )  $\frac{c \pm \sqrt{2a}}{2b}$ . Hence having  $x + y =$

$\frac{c \pm \sqrt{2a}}{2b}$ , and  $xy = \frac{c \pm \sqrt{2a}}{2}$ ,  $x$  will be found =

$\frac{c \pm \sqrt{2a}}{4b} \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{c \pm \sqrt{2a}}{4b}\right)^2 - \frac{c \pm \sqrt{2a}}{2}}$ , and  $y = \frac{c \pm \sqrt{2a}}{4b}$

$\mp \sqrt{\left(\frac{c \pm \sqrt{2a}}{4b}\right)^2 - \frac{c \pm \sqrt{2a}}{2}}$  in all cases of the equations.

And in this, where  $x$ ,  $y$ , and  $z$  must all be whole numbers, and  $y$  (partly limited) greater than  $x$ , we shall have  $x = 20$ ,  $y = 60$ , and  $z = 500$ . From whence it appears, that the Lady's age is 20 years, her height 60 inches, and fortune 500l. as required.

*The same, by Mr. John Salter, Billton.*

By clearing the first equation and extracting the root, you will have  $xy - z = 700$ , this taken from the third, leaves  $x = 1000$  or  $z = 500$ . Now  $z$  being known, the second and third equations become  $y + x = 80$ , and  $yx = 1200$ ; whence by subtracting four times the latter from the square of the former, we have  $(y - x)^2 = 1600$ , or  $y - x = 40$ , this added to the former, gives  $2y = 120 \therefore y = 60$  inches, and  $x = 20$  years and  $z = 500$ l. her fortune. W. W. R.

#### H. QUESTION (31) answered by Mr. G. Dixon.

From the square of the first equation, subtract the second and we get  $2xy + 2xz + 2yz = a^2 - b$ ; which subtracted from twice the third, and reduced, gives  $y^2 z^2 - 8yz = 240$ ; from hence  $yz = 20$ : and the third equation in the question will now become  $xy + xz = 207 = c$ ; or  $y - z = \frac{c}{x}$ ; this compared with  $x + y + z = a$ , gives  $x^2 - ax - c$ ; solved  $= \sqrt{\frac{a^2}{4} - c} + \frac{a}{2} = 23$ ; hence  $y = 5$ , and  $z = 4$ ; and the young Lady consented to WED.

Other ingenious answers were also given by Messrs. W. Salter, J. T. Adcock, Amicus, James Beasall, T. Booth, A. Buchanan, Eliot, T. Fox, P. Hall, W. Hulland, T. Leybourn, Mancum, W. Plues, J. Salter, D. Sheridan, Philo Mathematicus, G. Waters, Jos. Waters, and A. Young.

III. QUESTION (32) answered by Mancunienfis, the proposer.

Dividing the third equat. by the first, we get  $\frac{v}{z} = 1.8$ , and subtracting the second, from the product of the first and fourth, we have  $vz = 45$ , conseq.  $v = \sqrt{81} = 9$ , and  $z = \frac{45}{9} = 5$ ; also dividing the last equat. by the first, we obtain  $w + \frac{1}{2}v = 58$ , hence  $w = 58 - 45 = 13$ ; but the fourth equat. reduced gives  $x = \frac{13v + 61w}{13z} = 14$ ; also the first equat.

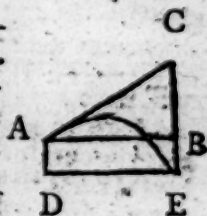
reduced gives  $y = \frac{471 - wz - 2wx}{x} = 3$ ; hence the required word is INNOCENCE.

Other ingenious answers were also given by Messrs. Rooth, T. Adcock, Amicus, A. Buchanan, G. Dixon, P. Hall, John Salter, Wm. Salter, D. Sheridan, and Jos. Waters.

IV. QUESTION (33) Answered by Mr. Wm. Plues, North Holme.

Let AD represent the tower, DE the horizontal distance, and BAC the angle of elevation.

By the nature of projectiles, the body will describe the parabolic curve AE, and the time of such description will be equal to that of a body falling from C to E, whereof BE is given as 100. To find CB, say as the co-sine of the angle of elevation, is to the horizontal distance (AB = DE) so is the sine of the angle of elevation to the height CB = 1172.2 feet; then CB + BE 1272.2; and as  $16\frac{1}{3} : 1^2 :: 1272.2 : 79.102$ , the square root of which is  $8.893 = 8'' . 53'''$  the answer.



Solutions were also given by Messrs. T. Leybourn, Philo Mathematicus, T. Booth, A. Buchanan, G. Dixon, J. Elliot, T. Fox, P. Hall, Mancunienfis, John Salter, Wm. Salter, D. Sheridan, T. Todd, F. Hornby, and Jos. Waters.

V. QUESTION (34) Answered by Amicus, Royal Navy, Portsmouth.

This question is purely arithmetical, and may be thus solved: Between 20 and 101.25 find three geometrical mean proportionals; thus 101.25 divided by 20 = 5.0625, whose fourth root (always more by units than the number of means) is 1.5 the ratio of the progression, and the terms will thus stand: 20; 30; 45; 67.5; 101.25, of which the first four, viz, 67.5; 45; 30; 20, are the remaining quantities of pure spirit after each evacuation; and the difference of the first series, viz.

33.75; 22.5; 15; 10, are the quantities of pure spirit drawn each time.

The same by Mr. Wm. Hulland, Newborough, Staffordshire.

Put  $a = 101.25$ ,  $b = 20$ , and  $x =$  the remainder after the first exhaustion; now by the question, it is manifest that the quantity of neat brandy drawn out each time will be proportional to the quantity of neat brandy in the cask before each respective exhaustion, and

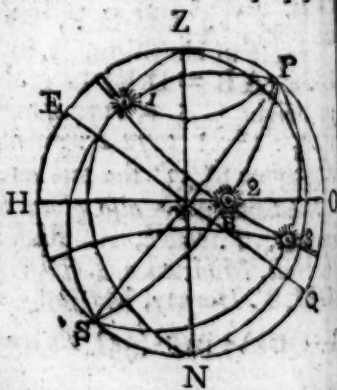
consequently by conversion,  $a : x :: \begin{cases} x : \frac{x^2}{a} \text{ second remainder} \\ \frac{x^2}{a} : \frac{x^3}{a^2} \text{ third,} \\ \frac{x^3}{a^2} : \frac{x^4}{a^3} \text{ fourth; therefore} \end{cases}$

$\frac{x^4}{a^3} = b$ , and  $x = \sqrt[4]{a^3 b} = 67.5$  gallons; from hence 33.75, 22.5, 15 and 10 gallons are the respective exhaustions required.

Solutions were also given by Messrs. John Elliot, T. Booth, Buchanan, G. Dixon, T. Fox, P. Hall, W. Hulland, J. Horridge, T. Leybourn, Mancunienfis, W. Marsden, W. Plues, W. Salter, J. Salter, D. Sheridan, T. Todd, J. Waters, and T. Whitting.

VI. QUESTION (35) Answered by Mr. G. Dixon, the proposer.

As 2 : 3 :: tand. rad. : tan. alt.  
Sun's upper limb =  $56^\circ. 18'. 35''$ ,  
from which subtract  $16'. 35''$  for  
semi-diameter, and refraction  
leaves  $56'. 2''$  for the true altit. of  
the sun's center. Then in the  
oblique sph.  $\Delta Z P \odot$  there is  
given  $Z P = 39^\circ. 12'$  co-lat.;  $Z \odot = 33^\circ. 58'$  co-alt.; and  $P \odot = 72^\circ. 12'$  co-decl.; to find  $\angle Z P \odot = 10^\circ. 6'$  or  $11h. 19'. 36''$ .  
A. M. the time when the observation was made; and  $\angle \odot Z P = 162^\circ. 36'$  the sun's azimuth from the north at the same time; hence his bearing was S  $17^\circ. 24'$  E. Again in the right angled  $\Delta \Upsilon B \odot$ , there is given  $\angle \Upsilon = 39^\circ. 12'$ , and side  $B \odot$  the sun's declination; to find  $\Upsilon \odot = 28^\circ. 56'$  the sun's amplitude at his rising and setting; hence he rose NE by E  $\frac{1}{2}$  E, and set NW by W  $\frac{1}{2}$  W nearly. Lastly, in the  $\Delta Z P \odot$ , there is given  $Z P$ ,  $Z \odot = 108^\circ$  the sun's zenith distance at the beginning and ending of twilight, and  $P \odot$  the sun's polar distance;





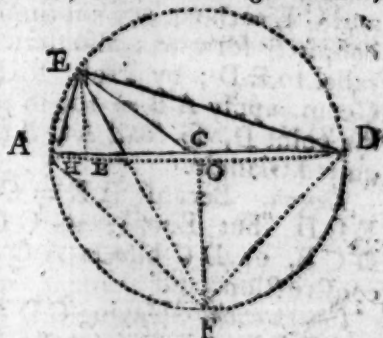
re; to find the  $\angle ZP\odot = 155^{\circ}.6'$ ; hence day broke at  $39^{\circ}.36''$ . in the morning.

Solutions were also given by Messrs. J. Hornby, Amicus, A. Burman, J. Elliot, T. Leybourn, Mancunienfis, Philo Mathematicus; T. Whiting.

I. QUESTION (36) Answered by Mancunienfis, the proposer.

Construction. From E, the given part, let fall the perp. EH 70 miles; upon the indef. line AD, draw EB = 300 miles,

EC = 450 miles, both of them to terminate upon the equal line AD; at C erect CF perp. to AD; continue EB toward till it cuts CF in F; make EG and GF equal to each other; on G as a centre with the radius EG = GF describe the circle EDF A; join the points EA, ED; so shall A, B, C, D, represent the four ports arrived



Demonstr. Join AG, GD, DF, and FA; then because  $EA = GD$  (being the rad. of the same circle) and  $OG$  perp. to AD, and common to both  $\Delta$ 's,  $AC = CD$ , and for the same reason  $AF = FD$ ; now Euc. I. 8.  $AGF = DGP$ ; Euc. III. 26.  $\angle AEF = \frac{AGF}{2}$ , and  $\angle FED = \frac{EGD}{2}$ ; consequently  $\angle AEB = \angle BEB$ . Q. E. B.

Comput.  $\sqrt{EB^2 - EH^2} = HB$  130.767 miles;  $EC^2 - EH^2 = HC^2 = HC = 360$  miles;  $HC - HB = BC$  229.233 miles, the distance between the second and third ports;  $HB : HE :: BC : CF = 473.307$  miles;  $HE : EB :: CF : BF = 525.897$  miles;  $EB + BF = EF = 825.897$  miles;  $CF : BF :: \frac{EF}{2} : GE = 458.832$  miles;  $CE - GE = AG = 14.475$  miles;  $\sqrt{GD^2 - CG^2} = CD = AC = 663$  miles, the distance between the third and fourth ports;  $AC - HC = AH = 98.603$  miles;  $AC - CB = AB = 437$  miles, the distance between the first and second ports;  $AB + CH = HD = 818.603$  miles;  $\sqrt{AH^2 + HE^2} = AE = 287.441$  miles, the first ship sailed;  $\sqrt{HD^2 + ED^2} = AD = 861.98$  miles, the last ship sailed;  $AE : AH ::$  sine  $AEL = 20^{\circ}.3'.45''$ . the first ship's course between



$\frac{c^2}{x^2} = 4b^2 + 2by$ , and (by Eu. XXXV. 3.)  $2by =$

$x \times a - x = a^2 - x^2$ , which substituted instead of  $2by$

in the other equation, gives  $\frac{4a^2c^2}{a^2 - x^2} = 4b^2 + a^2 - x^2$ ; solv-

$x = \sqrt{a^2 + 2b^2} \pm \sqrt{4a^2c^2 + 4b^4} = 13.97015$ ; hence

$AD = 63.97015$ ,  $BD = 36.02985$ ,  $AC = 83.2642$ , and

$BC = 46.8969$ .

*Propolium.*  $AD : DE :: AB : BC$ . For  $AD : BD ::$

$BC : B C$  (by Eu. III. 6.) and  $BD : DE :: AB : AC$  (by

IV. 6.) consequently  $AD : DE :: AB : BC$ , by Eu.

III. 5.

*The same by Amicus, Royal Navy, Portsmouth.*

Let  $AB = a$ ,  $CD = b$ ,  $DE = c$ ,  $AD = x$ ,  $BD = y$ ,

$AE = z$ , and  $CB = u$ .

Then per {  $1 \ x u = y z$

2  $z y = a c$

3  $z u = b^2 + x y$

4  $x + y = a$

1, 2 5  $x = \frac{a c}{u}$

2 6  $y = \frac{a c}{z}$

5x6 7  $x y = \frac{a^2 c^2}{z u}$

3 7 8  $z u = b^2 + \frac{a^2 c^2}{z u}$

8 9  $z^2 u^2 - b^2 z u = a^2 c^2$

□ &c. 10  $z u = \sqrt{a^2 c^2 + \frac{b^4}{4}} - \frac{b^2}{2} = 3904834 = d$ .

3 10 11  $x y = z u - b^2 = d - b^2$

11x4 12  $4 x y = 4 d - 4 b^2$

4 9 2 13  $x^2 + 2 x y + y^2 = a^2$

3 - 12 14  $x^2 - 2 x y + y^2 = a^2 + 4 b^2 - 4 d$

14 lw 2 15  $x - y = \sqrt{a^2 + 4 b^2 - 4 d}$

4, 15 16  $x = \frac{a + \sqrt{a^2 + 4 b^2 - 4 d}}{2} = 63.9702$

4, 15 17  $y = \frac{a - \sqrt{a^2 + 4 b^2 - 4 d}}{2} = 36.0298$

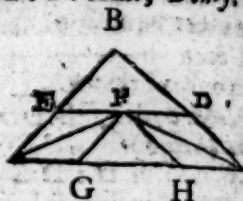
5 18  $u = \frac{a c}{x} = 46.89686$

6 19  $z = \frac{a c}{y} = 83.26448$ .

Other ingenious Solutions were also given by Messrs. A. Buchanan jun. T. Todd, G. Dixon, P. Hall, J. Salter, W. Salter, and D. Sheridan.

IX QUESTION (38) answered by Mr. P. Hall, Denby.

**Construction.** Make  $AC$  equal to the given perimeter, or sum of the three sides; at  $A, C$ , make the  $\angle$ 's  $BAC, BCA$ , equal the given  $\angle$ 's; draw  $AB, CB$ , intersecting each other in  $B$ , bisect the given  $\angle$ 's  $A$  with the right lines  $AF, CF$  meeting each other in  $F$ ; then draw  $FG, FH$  parallel to  $AB, BC$  respectively, and  $GFH$  will be the triangle required.



**Demon.** Draw  $DE$  parallel to  $AC$ , then the  $\angle DEA = \angle FAC$  (Euc. 6. 1.)  $= \angle DAF$ ; therefore  $AG = GE$  and in the same way of reasoning  $FH$  will be proved  $= CH$  consequently  $FG + FH + GA = AG + GH + HC = AC$  the given perimeter.

**Calculation.** The numerical solution to this question is extremely easy, for in the  $\triangle AFC$  are given all the angles and the base  $AC$ , whence  $AF$ , and  $FC$  become known; then in the  $\triangle$ 's  $AFG$ , and  $FCH$  are given all the  $\angle$ 's, and the sides  $AF$ , and  $FC$ ; whence  $FG, FH$  will also be known.

The same by A. Buchanan, jun. Sedgefield.

**Construction.** Make  $EF$  = the given sum of the three sides: moreover, make the  $\angle$ 's  $CEA, CFB$  = half the given respective  $\angle$ 's at the base, and draw  $EC, PC$  to intersect in  $C$ ; lastly, make the  $\angle$ 's  $ECA, FCB$  = the  $\angle$ 's  $CEA, CFB$  respectively, and draw  $CA, CB$  to intersect  $EF$  in  $A$  and  $B$ ; then will  $ABC$  be the  $\triangle$  required.



**Demon.** The  $\angle ECA = CEA$ , and the  $\angle FCB = CFB$  by conf. therefore  $EA = AC$ , and  $FB = BC$  (Euclid I. 6) conf.  $AC + AB + BC = EA + AB + BF = EF$ , the given sum by conf. moreover (by Euclid I. 32) the  $\angle CAE = \angle ECA + CEA = 2\angle E$ , and the  $\angle CBA = \angle FCB + CFB = 2\angle F$ . But the  $\angle$ 's  $E$  and  $F$  are half the given ones (by conf.) therefore, &c.

**Cal.** As  $S. \angle ECF$  ( $= \angle ACB + ECA + BCF = 180^\circ - \angle BAC - \angle ABC + \frac{1}{2}\angle BAC + \frac{1}{2}\angle ABC = 180^\circ - \frac{1}{2}\angle BAC - \frac{1}{2}\angle ABC$ ) :  $EF$  ::  $S. \angle E$  ( $= \frac{1}{2}\angle BAC$ ) :  $CE$  and ::  $S. \angle F$  ( $= \frac{1}{2}\angle ABC$ ) :  $CF$ . Then as  $S. \angle CAE$  ( $= 180^\circ - \angle BAC$ ) :  $CE$  ::  $S. \angle E$  :  $AC$ , and as  $S. \angle CBF$  ( $= 180^\circ - \angle ABC$ ) :  $CF$  ::  $S. \angle F$  :  $BC$ .



The same by Mancunienſis.

*Conſtruct.* Draw the right line

$B =$  the ſum of the ſides, on

which conſtruct a triangle  $ACB$ ,

ſoſe angles  $CAB$ , and  $CBA$ ,

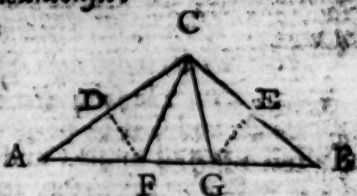
all each be equal to half the

ſum of the ſides; biſect  $AC$

in  $D$ , and  $BC$  in  $E$ , erect the per-

pendiculars  $DF$  and  $EG$ , join the points  $C$ ,  $F$ , and  $C$ ,  $G$ ; ſo

that  $CFG$  be the triangle, that was to be conſtructed.



*Demon.* Because  $AD = DC$ , and  $DF$  perp. and common to

both  $\Delta$ 's,  $CF = AF$ , and for the ſame reaſon  $CG = BG$ ; con-

ſequently  $CF + CG + FG = AF + FG + BG$ ; alſo  $FAC$

$= ACF$ , and  $GBC = BCG$ , and (Euclid I. 32.)  $FAC +$

$BCF = CFG$ , and  $GBC + BCG = CGF$ ,  $\therefore FAC =$

$CGF$ , and  $GBC = CGF$  Q. E. D.

*Comput.* As ſine  $ACB$  : ſine  $CAB$  ::  $AB$  :  $BC$ ; and coſine

$BAC$  : rad. ::  $BE$  :  $BG = CG$ ; alſo ſine  $CFG$  : ſine  $CGF$

$CG$  :  $CF$ , and  $AB - CF + CG = FG$ .

To avoid the imputation of plagiariſm, I think it neceſſary to

mention, that at the time of propoſing the 9th Queſtion, I did not

know it had ever been answered geometrically; but having ſince

peruſed Dr. Hutton's Republication of the Ladies Diarys, I

found, that it has been done ſome time ago, in a work called the

Mathematician; but whether the method of Conſtruction and

Demonſtration be the ſame as mine, or not, I am ſtill ignorant,

ſince I never had an opportunity of ſeeing that work.

Messrs. J. Leybourn, J. Salter, W. Salter, and D. Sheridan, alſo

have given ingenious answers.

# X. QUESTION (40) by a Buchanan, jun.

Let  $AB$  be the fence;  $C$ ,  $D$ , the

two trees;  $AC$ ,  $BD$ , their diſtance

from the two ends  $A$ ,  $B$ , of the fence.

Join  $C$ ,  $D$ , and deſcribe (by Prob.

III. page 247, Simpson's Geome-

try) a circle,  $CPD$ , to paſs through

the points  $C$ ,  $D$ , and touch the line

$AB$ ; then to the point of contact,  $P$ ,

draw  $CP$ ,  $DP$ , and  $CPD$  will be the

angle required.—The demonſtration and

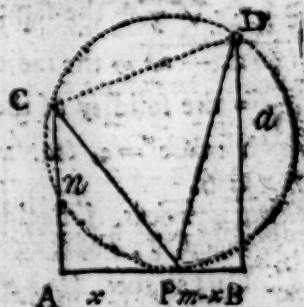
calculation of which, as indeed the

whole of the conſtruction, may be ſeen at Prob. XLIV. page

247, Simpson's Algebra.—By calculation (according to the

above quoted problem)  $AP$  comes out  $= 14.6874$  chains; conſ.

$BP = 8.3126$  chains, and thence the  $\angle CPD = 52^\circ 53'$ .



Geometrical

Geometrical solutions were given by Messrs. T. Booth, G. Dixon, P. Hall, Jon. Hornby, W. Hulland, T. Leybourn, Mancunienfis, Phil. Mathematicus, J. Salter, D. Sheridan, and Jos. Waters.

The same otherwise by Mr. T. Todd.

Let C A, and C B be perpendicular to A B, and C P D the required greatest angle, and put  $a = D B = 28.4$ ,  $n = C A = 19.8$ ,  $m = A B = 23$  chains, and  $x = A P$ ,  $P B = m - x$  (see the preceding figure) then  $\frac{a}{m-x} = \text{nat. tang. } D P B$ ,  $\frac{n}{x} = \text{tang. } C P A$ ,

and the tang. of the sum of these angles  $= \frac{ax - nx + nm}{mx - x^2 - an}$  minimum when the angle C P D is a maximum. In fluxions

$$ax - nx \times mx - x^2 - an - mx + 2xx \times ax - nx + nm = 0, \text{ which reduces to } x^2 + \frac{2nm}{a-n} = \frac{nm^2}{a-n} + an; \therefore x$$

$$= \frac{-nm}{a-n} + \sqrt{\frac{nm^2}{a-n} + an + \frac{n^2m^2}{(a-n)^2}} = 14.75414 = A P, \text{ and}$$

$$P B = 8.24536; \therefore \text{nat. tang. of } \angle D P B = \frac{D B}{P B} = 3.44415 =$$

$$73^\circ 49', \text{ and nat. tang. } C P A = \frac{C A}{A P} = 1.34199 = 53^\circ 18'; \therefore \angle C P D = 52^\circ 53' \text{ nearly.}$$

XI. QUESTION. (40) Answered. By Mr. Pat. Hall, Denby.

Put  $x =$  the perpendicular altitude of the cone, and  $b = 16 \frac{1}{2}$  feet. Then per the laws of gravity  $\sqrt{\frac{x}{b}} =$  the time the ball is falling down the perpendicular, and per mecha.  $\sqrt{\frac{x''}{b}} : 2'' :: x : 2x \div \sqrt{\frac{x}{b}} =$  the slant side of the cone; and Euc. 47.1.

$\sqrt{4bx} - x^2 =$  the radius of the base; then  $3.14159 \times 4bx - x^2 \times \frac{x}{3} =$  the solidity of the cone, a maximum, the fluxion of which made  $= 0$ , &c.  $x = \frac{8}{3}b = 42.88888$ ; then the base  $= 60.654036$ .

Messrs. Amicus, A. Buchanan, G. Dixon, Mancunienfis, J. Salter, D. Sheridan, T. Todd, and T. Whiting, also gave answers.

XII. QUESTION. (41) Ans. By Mr. D. Sheridan, Wednesfield.

Let  $x =$  the sine of the required angle; then by page 247 of Simpson's Algebra  $3x - 4x^3 =$  triple the  $\angle$  flux'd is  $3x - 12x^3 = 0$ ; hence  $x = 5$ , which answers to  $30^\circ$ , whole triple  $= 90^\circ$ , the greatest possible, in case of right  $\angle$ 's.

The same was answered by Mancunienfis, the Proposer.

XIII. Quest.

*Questions Answered:*

**XIII. QUESTION (42) Answered by Mr. Dan. Sheridan.**

Let  $a = 40$ , and  $x$  = the distance from the lesser lamp; then  
 $a - x$  = distance from the greater: now it being demonstrable,  
 that light is inversely as the sq. of the dist. and directly as the  
 denseness of the luminous body; we have:  $\frac{2}{a-x} + \frac{1}{x^2} = a$  mi-  
 num; or  $2 \times \frac{a-x}{x^2} + x^{-2} = a$  min. flux'd is  $2 \times 2 \times$   
 $\frac{a-x}{x^2} + x^{-2} = 0$ ; hence  $x = \frac{a}{1 + \sqrt[3]{2}} = 17.7$ , and  
 $a - x = 22.3$ .

Solutions were also given by Messrs. A. Buchanan, T. Fox, Man-  
 cienfis, and J. Salter.

**XIV. QUESTION (43) Answer. By A. Buchanan, jun.**

Since  $y^4 - x^2 y^4 = x^2 a^2 \therefore y = \frac{a^2 x^2}{1 - x^2} = a^2 \lambda^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot \frac{1}{1 - x^2} =$

$\dot{x} = a^2 \lambda^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot \frac{1}{1 - x^2} = \frac{1}{4} x \sqrt{ax} \times : 1 + \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{5x^4}{32} + \frac{15x^6}{128}$

(by throwing the radical quantity into a series, &c.) the  
 ent of which give  $x = \sqrt{ax} \times : \frac{2}{3} x + \frac{1}{14} x^3 + \frac{5}{176} x^5 + \frac{15}{960} x^7$

the area required.

Messrs. Leybourn, Mancunienfis, Mercurius the proposer, and Mr.  
 Todd, also answered it.

**XV. QUESTION (44) Answered. By Virtuoso.**

Correcting the press error  $\sqrt{\log. \frac{z}{b}}$  to  $\sqrt{\log. \frac{z}{b}}$

To obtain the fluent of which, let  $a = 2.7182818$ , the hyper-  
 bolic logarithm of 1, and  $\frac{z}{b} = v$ , then will  $a^v = \frac{z}{b}$ , and  $z =$

$a^v$ ; also since  $\log. \frac{z}{b} = v$ , taking the fluxion  $\frac{z}{z} = \dot{v}$ , and  $\dot{z} =$

$\dot{v} = b \dot{v} a^v$ ; wherefore  $\sqrt{\frac{z}{\log. \frac{z}{b}}} = \frac{b \dot{v} a^v}{\sqrt{v}}$ ; but  $a^v =$

$1 + \frac{v}{1.2} + \frac{v^2}{1.2.3} + \frac{v^3}{1.2.3.4} \&c.$  and  $\frac{b \dot{v} a^v}{\sqrt{v}} = b \frac{\dot{v}}{v^{\frac{1}{2}}} + \frac{b v^{\frac{1}{2}} \dot{v}}{1}$

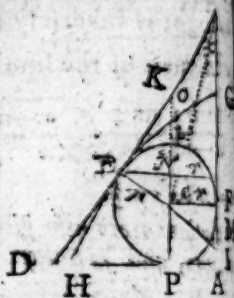
$+ \frac{b v^{\frac{3}{2}} \dot{v}}{1.2} + \frac{b v^{\frac{5}{2}} \dot{v}}{1.2.3} \&c.$  wherefore the fluent of  $\frac{z}{\sqrt{\log. \frac{z}{b}}} =$  the

ent of  $\frac{b \dot{v} a^v}{\sqrt{v}} = 2 b v^{\frac{1}{2}} + \frac{2 b v^{\frac{3}{2}}}{3.1} + \frac{2 b v^{\frac{5}{2}}}{5.1.2} \&c.$  W. W. R.

Solutions were also given by Mancunienfis and Mr. T. Todd.

XVI. QUESTION (45) *Prize answered.*By *Mancunius.*

To the given circle whose centre is C, draw the indefinite tangents A B and A D perpendicular to each other; determine the point B in the circumference of the given circle, so that drawing E C, erecting  $EB \perp EC$ , to terminate in A B, and bisecting FB in G; E F may be a mean proportional to F G and A G; or, which is the same, that if E C be continued; to terminate in A B at I, F I may be  $= \frac{GA^2}{2}$ ; also continue B E to



D, with the vertex G, absciss F G, and ordinate F E rightly applied, describe the parabolic curve G E H, terminating in A D; so shall A G B H be the required semi-parabola, and A D B the right angled triangle, circumscribing both the given figures.—For, per property of the parabola,  $FG : FE^2 :: AG : AH^2$ , and, per construc.  $FG : FE :: FE : AG$ , or  $FG : FE^2 :: AG : AG^2$ , consequently  $AG = AH$ , or the absciss A G is equal to its greatest ordinate A H.—Moreover by construc. A B and A D, are tangents to the given circle, and because E B is perpendicular to E C, B E D is a tangent to the circle; also because the sub-tangent B F is double the absciss F G, it is likewise a tangent to the parabolic curve G E H, and consequently the right  $\triangle A D B$ , circumscribes both the given figures. Q. E. D.

*The same by Mr. Buchanan, Jun. Sedgefield.*

Let E M P be the given circle, H E G A the required semi-parabola, and D B A the required triangle; put the radius of the given circle  $= CM (= EC = CP = PA = AM) = r, x$ , and  $y =$  the sine and co-sine of the  $\angle CBM = CBE$  (rad  $= 1$ ) then (per trig.) the sine, and co-sine of the  $\angle EBF = 2 \angle MBC$  is  $= 2xy$ , and  $1 - 2x^2$  respectively; and (by trig.)  $x : r :: y : \frac{ry}{x} = BM = BE$ , and as rad.  $1 : \frac{ry}{x} :: 2xy : 2ry^2 = FE$ . Moreover, as

rad.  $1 : \frac{ry}{x} :: 1 - 2x^2 : \frac{ry}{x} \times 1 - 2x^2 = BF$ . Therefore, by the nature of the parabola,  $\frac{ry}{2x} \times 1 - 2x^2 = \frac{BF}{2} = BG = GF$ ;

and  $BM - BF = FM = \frac{ry}{x} - \frac{ry}{x} \times 1 - 2x^2 = 2rxy$ ; consequently  $AG (= GF + FM + MA) = AH$  (per quest.)  $= \frac{ry}{2x} \times 1 - 2x^2 + 2rxy + r = \frac{ry}{2x} + rxy + r$ . But by the

\* As this is a curious problem, not generally known, and well worthy the attention of geometers, I would beg leave, by permission of the Editors, to propose it to be considered at large at some future opportunity.



property of the parabola,  $GF : FE^2 :: GA : AH^2 (GA^2) ::$   
 $AG \therefore GF \times GA = FE^2$ ; or in symbols  $\frac{ry}{2x} \times \frac{ry}{1-2x^2}$

$\frac{ry}{2x} + rxy + r$ , or  $r^2 \times \frac{y}{2x} - xy \times \frac{y}{2x} + xy + 1 = 2ry^2$   
 $r^2 y^4$ ; consequently  $\frac{y}{2x} - xy \times \frac{y}{2x} + xy + 1$ , or  $\frac{y^2}{4x^2} -$

$y^2 + \frac{y}{2x} - xy = 4y^4$ ; or by reduction, &c.  $y - 4x^4 y + 2x$   
 $x^3 = 16x^2 y^3$ . Hence, by the method of trial and error,  $y$   
 found = .9463326, answering to the nat. fine of  $71^\circ. 8'. 38''$ . =  
 $ICB = BEN$ , from whence the required semi-parabola, and  
 angle may very easily be drawn, or all the dimensions there-  
 of may be found.

Patrick Hall gave an ingenious solution to this question. Other  
 Solutions received were not right.

data by Mancuniensis to his solutions, &c. in the Diary for 1790.

page 34 line 15, for  $\sqrt{.592}$  read  $\sqrt{.592}$ , line 18, for  $\sqrt{\frac{6561}{.592}}$  read

$\frac{6561}{\sqrt{.592}}$  line 19, for  $\sqrt{.591}$ , read  $\sqrt{.592}$ ; page 36, line 3, for  
 $\sqrt{.592}$

perpendicular, read perpendiculars; line 7, after circle add,  
 in the same manner  $BG = GE = CE$  and  $BG$  is also a tang.  
 the circle; line 8, for simi, read semi; insert B to one end  
 the diagonal in the fig. to my solution of quest. VII; line 4  
 in bottom, for draw a, read drawn; page 40, line 21, for  
 read  $\frac{L}{2}$ ; page 45, line 2 from bottom, for shews, read shew;  
 47, line 31, for tripple, read triple.

B. Last year we sent the place of the new planet, over which the  
 ether placed Saturn's character, and omitted Saturn's place.

Mr. John Farey, and Mr. John Needham's letters last year came too  
 to the compiler's hands; Mr. Farey answered the 15th, 16th, 17th,  
 and 21st questions.—Mr. Needham answered all the enigmas, pa-  
 radox, anagram, and 12th, 13th, and 14th queries: and proposed 1  
 riddle; 1 rebus, 1 charade, 1 paradox, and 3 queries.—Mr. Lam-  
 bert answered the 11th question, and proposed 1.

QUESTIONS to be answered in next Year's DIARY.

QUESTION (46) By Mr. William Marsden, Netherhurst,  
 Derbyshire.

Young Sim his addressee to Polly doth pay,  
 but to his soft rhetoric her answer is nay;

She tells him as yet, she too young is to marry,  
 And therefore intends a while longer to tarry.  
 Now from what's subjoin'd, you may truly discover,  
 How long she designs thus to torture her lover.

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} x + \frac{3y}{2} = 2y \\ x_1 - y_1 = x^2 + y^2 + 2y \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} y \text{ being she says the years, and } x \text{ the} \\ \text{months, she intends to live single} \\ \text{longer.} \end{array}$$

H. QUESTION (47) By Mr. A. Buchanan, jun. Sedgefield.

Given  $xy = 460$ , and  $yx = 320$ ; to find  $x$  and  $y$ ?

III. QUESTION, (48) By Mr. Joseph Waters, Graves-Lane, near Southwell, Nottinghamshire.

Given the sum of the cubes of the three sides of a right angled triangle (whose area is  $30 = 4050$ ; to determine the sides?

IV. QUESTION (49) By Mr. William Plus, North-Holme.

Required the semi-diameters of those two circles with which an hypocrites lune may be described to contain an acre of land

V. QUESTION (50) By Mr. Daniel Sheridan, Wednesfield.

Having an acre of land in form of an ellipsis, whose transverse and conjugate diameters are in the ratio of 8 to 5; want to know the cost of its peremeter at six pence per inch also its greatest inscribed equilateral triangle?

VI. QUESTION (51) By Mancunienfis.

Required a general expression; by which to obtain the degree in any arc of a circle, when the difference between its tangent and secant is equal to any given Quantity: also to exemplify when the difference is .5, and the radius of the given circle and to determine the limits of this difference?

VII. QUESTION (52) By Mr. Jonathan Hornby, of Westera School, near Whitby, Yorkshire.

By observation June 7th, 1789, at six in the evening, sun's azimuth from the west, was found to be double his altitude; required the latitude of the place, being north?

VIII. QUESTION (53) By Mr. Thomas Leybourn.

What is the odds of not throwing either 35, 36, 37, or once in three trials, with ten dice.

IX. QUESTION (54) By Mr. W. Salter, jun. of Bilston.

Required the greatest ellipsis that can be inscribed between the peripherys of two concentric circles, whose diameters are 40 and 60?

X. QUESTION (55) By Mr. T. Degnam of Bilston.

Two ships, A and B, sail in the N.E. quarter; so that the sine of A's course be multiplied by the square of co-tan of course the product = 814637, and if the sine of B's course multiplied by the square of the chord of the complement of

arse, the product = .548776, they sailed equal distances, but departure exceeds that of A's by 12.45 miles; quere, each ship's course, and distance sailed?

I. QUESTION (56) *By Mr. Patrick Hall, Denby, Derbyshire.*

On the 21st of June, 1789, in lat,  $58^{\circ} 6' N$ . my walking staff, standing perpendicular on a horizontal plane, did cast a shadow 12 inches long, but being inclined towards the said shadow, it was then 50 inches long, the staff in the two positions subtended an angle of  $58^{\circ}$ , how many hours did the sun set after taking these dimensions of the shadow, the time being afternoon?

II. QUESTION (57) *By Mr. George Dixon, Gosport, Hants.*

You who delight to tread the paths of truth,  
And point out steps to guide the BRITISH youth;  
Who daily soar on scientific wings,  
And drink delight from mathematic springs,  
Who can with *Newton*, "mount where science guides,  
Can measure earth, weigh air, and state the tides."  
On philosophic subjects dictate well,  
And nature's laws can weigh in reason's scale;  
From these sublime and knotty things descend,  
And help for once, a scientific friend.  
Now then, in latitude of fifty one,  $51^{\circ} N^{\circ}$ . lon.  $17^{\circ} W$ .  
Where stands erect a right and tow'ring cone,  
Which on the third of June a shade did throw  
At 3 P. M. in length foot thirty two.  
On outside of its base; the cones content  
Twenty thousand foot, good measurement,  
From the top of this stupendous cone,  
An iron ball of six pound weight roll down;  
Tell me what velocity 'twill have  
When it the surface of the cone doth leave.  
How far upon the horizon,  
This ball of iron will exactly run  
Before it stops, as no impediment  
Can retard its motion, or its course prevent.  
When these I see, my thanks you sure shall have,  
And if the authors please, the prize I'd give.

XIII. QUESTION (58) *By Mancunienfis.*

Given a line drawn from the vertical angle, to terminate in the base (produced if necessary); also the radii of two circles, inscribed in the triangle touching each other; and the angle made by lines drawn from the centres of these circles to meet in the vertex of this triangle; to construct it?

XIV. QUESTION (59) *By Mancunienfis.*

Given the radii of two circles touching each other inscribed in a plane triangle, the angle made by lines drawn from their centers to intersect in the vertex; to construct the triangle; that drawing lines from the points of contact in the base to the vertex, the angle formed thereby may be a minimum;

XV. QUESTION (60) *By Mr. R. Carlisle, Leighdon, in Holland formerly of Sedbergh, Yorkshire.*

Required the sum of the series  $\frac{1}{p \times p+1} + \frac{1}{p+1 \times p+2} + \frac{1}{p+2 \times p+3}$  &c. continued, ad infinitum.

XVI. QUESTION (61) *By Mr. T. Todd, Cleasby, near Darlington.*

To determine the axes of an ellipsis such, that two right quadrants thereof shall be the least that can circumscribe a given circle?

XVII. PRIZE QUESTION. (62) *By Mancunienfis.*

A ball whose diameter is 12 inches, let fall down a vertical plane, arrived at the bottom in 4 seconds; required the length of the plane, and how much it must be inclined to the horizon that another ball may move down it exactly in the same time and also what respective velocity each ball will have acquired at that time; supposing, in the first case, that the ball moves in a resisting medium of uniform density, whose specific gravity is that of the ball as 1 to 1000; that the resistance of this medium is as the square of the velocity; in the latter case, that the ball moves in vacuo; and that the plane is in both cases perfectly void of friction?

The PRIZES, for the several solutions, have been determined by lot as follows: first, for the prize question, to *Mr. Tho. Todd of Cleasby* 12 Diaries:—2d. For the prize Enigma to *Mr. Tho. Ford Norton* 6 Diaries:—3d. For the general answer to the Enigma to *George Dixon, of Gosport, and Philomathematicus* 6 Diaries:—4th. For the general answer to the rebuses, charades, &c. to *Benjamin Kemp, of Farnsfield*. All of whom will please to send for them to *Mr. Pearson, printer, in Birmingham*.

All letters for the use of this Diary, are desired to be directed to *For Messrs. Cotes and Taylor, to be left with Mr. Joseph High-pavement, Nottingham (post paid) to come to hand by the 1st of May.*

*Mr. John Degnan* answered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, and 9 questions in his letter dated April 7, 1790; but which did not come to hand till the copy was finished.